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ST. JOSEPH BOARDS SAID TO HAVE SOLD DRAFT EXEMPTIONS

Federal Investigators Assert One Man Admitted He Paid \$250 to Be Found Unfit.

SOME MEN RE-EXAMINED

All Found to Be Eligible and Are Conscribed; 75 Per Cent of Physical Claims Allowed.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 14.—Draft frauds which threaten to involve a dozen exemption officials in St. Joseph and Buchanan County have been uncovered by special agents for the Department of Justice. A high county official and a subordinate in his office are involved. Other draft officials, it was announced today by United States Attorney Wilson, are under surveillance and will be drawn into the Government inquiry.

The fraud revelations are the outcome of a month's work by Government operatives. The grand jury convening at St. Joseph Monday will investigate the disclosures.

Exemptions 75 Per Cent. Suspicion was aroused by the large number of exemptions for physical disability. Within the first week after the examination of drafted men had begun, the exemptions in St. Joseph for this cause averaged 75 per cent.

When the District Exemption Board here considered the Buchanan County claims for exemption and it was found that three-fourths of the exemptions were for physical disability, several of the men who had been exempted for that cause were brought here. A physician examined them and they were found physically fit and were certified for service.

\$250 Payment Traced. A man who desired to escape the draft is said to have confessed to the Government authorities that it cost him \$250 and that the money was paid to a subordinate in the office of a county official who was a member of the Exemption Board. Following a confession from the subordinate, Government operatives went to the office of the official and found \$800.

The draft evader was found to be eligible. According to his story, he was approached by the subordinate and informed that he could purchase exemption for \$250. He offered to pay the amount by check, but was informed that it would have to be in cash. Accordingly, he went to the bank, drew out the money and paid it.

There are three selection boards in St. Joseph and one for the county, the city's quota being 172 and the county's 108.

SHORTAGE OF DOLLAR BILLS OWING TO ENGRAVING RUSH

Banks Here Requested to Put in Circulation Solved Currency, Which Is Usually Exchanged for New.

Owing to the great amount of Government printing incident to the war, particularly engraving of Liberty bonds, the Bureau of Printing and Engraving at Washington has been unable to meet the demand of banks for new currency, especially \$1 bills, of which there seems to be a serious shortage. Consequently, Subtreasury Vandiver has requested the banks in this district to put back into circulation solved currency which in normal times is exchanged for new.

As is customary at this time of the year, the Subtreasury is sending out to the South and Southwest large shipments of silver dollars. In the last few weeks approximately 50,000 of these coins have been sent out daily. Vandiver said laborers of the South and Southwest prefer to be paid in silver.

STEEL ROLLERS GET \$800 MONTH

Other Skilled Workers at Youngstown, O., Making \$15 Daily.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 14.—Several rollers in steel mills here are earning as much as \$800 a month, or at a rate of approximately \$10,000 a year, as a result of increases granted in a recent agreement with Amalgamated Association Workers, according to managers of the plants. Heaters, roughers and other skilled workers are able to make \$12 to \$15 daily.

The new wage scale is based on the selling price of steel. This has almost doubled the wages given for some classes of work, manufacturers say.

700 Officers Get Assignments. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Sept. 14.—The 700 provisional Lieutenants under instruction at Fort Leavenworth have been assigned to regiments. A few of them are placed with regiments now on duty in France, but most of them go to organizations forming at the army training camps. The special school of instruction closes Saturday, Sept. 23. They are to join commands by Oct. 1.

BRITON DIES AFTER ENCOUNTER WITH AN AMERICAN SAILOR

Yankee and British Seamen Deprived of Shore Leave for Three Days As Result of Trouble.

AMERICAN NAVAL BASE IN BRITISH WATERS, Sept. 14.—Shore liberty, which Americans below the rank of warrant officers as well as British sailors, have been deprived of for three days, was recommenced today by permission of the naval authorities.

The ban followed the encounter between J. W. Parente, an American mate, and a youth named Plummer, which resulted in the latter's death. The American bluejackets sent a floral to the funeral of Plummer.

The ban against Americans below the rank of lieutenant commander traveling to a nearby city or its suburbs still is in force.

COWBOY SAID TO HAVE FOUND \$400,000 IN GOLD IN ARIZONA

Treasure said to Have Been Buried by Priests Who Fled From Graham County 75 Years Ago.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 14.—The discovery of \$400,000 cached in the hills of Graham County, this State, is reported by H. R. Whitman of Solomonville, who now in Chandler, near here. The discovery was made by Joe Walsey, a cowboy.

White hunting stray cattle north-west of Solomonville, Walsey found a tree trunk from which the handle of a shovel protruded. Digging disclosed an iron box containing old Spanish gold coins and gold vessels, the intricate worth of which is said to bring the value of the find above \$400,000.

The gold has been taken to Safford, near Graham County, and placed in security. Old residents of that section declare Walsey has discovered a hiding place of priests who left that section about 75 years ago when it was a part of Mexico. It has always been thought the priests buried the church wealth before fleeing.

BELGIANS BRAVE DEATH TO GET BODIES OF ENGLISH AVIATORS

Crawl in Face of Rapid-Fire Guns Only 150 Yards Away After Air Battle in "No Man's Land."

HAYRE, Sept. 14.—A tragic aerial combat took place the afternoon of Sept. 9 above the Belgian trenches along the railroad from Nieuport to Dixmude. An English airplane which was shot down by five German fighters fell east of Ramspeelle in "No Man's Land" with 150 yards separating the lines.

The Germans opened a hot gunfire on the English machine, but several times a Belgian machine, determined to lead aid, crawled out in the broad daylight to the aircraft. Both the aviators were found dead. The Belgians brought in one of the bodies and returned a few hours later for the other.

The rapid fire guns resumed their shelling of the spot where the machine lay, but the Belgians nevertheless succeeded in bringing back to their trenches the body of the other Englishman.

THIRD BROTHER TO JOIN COLORS

Clyde H. Smith, Son of Rev. E. Comble Smith to Go to Camp.

Clyde H. Smith, 21 years old, son of the Rev. E. Comble Smith, pastor of the Maple Avenue M. E. Church, will be the third son of the Minister to enter the military service when he goes to Camp Funston, Sept. 19, with the second contingent of drafted St. Louisans. Young Smith had been exempted by the Twenty-eighth Ward Board on the ground that he was a medical student, but he voluntarily asked that the exemption be rescinded so that he might join the colors and be transferred to the aviation section.

His older brother, Comble, is already enlisted in the aviation section, and a younger brother, Hoyle, 19 years old, is a member of Base Hospital No. 21, now in France.

SNOW FALLS IN HELENA, MONT.

Follows Rain Which Breaks Drought Prevailing Since June 7.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 14.—Snow fell in Helena today.

Preceding it was a general rain throughout the state, breaking a drought prevailing since June 7.

In Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

Queen Marie of Rumania Tells Story of a Unit Characterized by Aristocracy. The second article in the series from this royal princess, now running in the Post-Dispatch, describes a battle incident of her work.

"Knitters Here, Knitters There, Knitters Everywhere." Photographs by Artist Westernman, illustrating amusing phases of a popular war-time diversion.

Where St. Louis' Drafted Men Are Being Trained for War. Photographs by Artist Camp Funston, handsomely reproduced in the Post-Dispatch.

The St. Louis Boy Who Became the World's Greatest Buyer. Life story of a man who is a great factor in America's preparations for war.

St. Louis' "Mother of Hoboes." Story of a unit character who is ever ready to oblige "hobo" boys with a "piece of change" or a "standoff" when they are down and out.

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GORDON TO TESTIFY HIS SON PAID SCOTT IN CASH FOR COAL

Check Tendered in Payment for Purchase Through State Said to Have Been Refused.

BELOW COST TO STATE

Records Show Check Was for \$113.10, and That Coal Was Billed at \$116.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 14.—The Post-Dispatch correspondent learned today, that former State auditor John P. Gordon will testify that he did not pay John Scott by check for the coal, but in cash, which was delivered to his home, but will say that at Scott's request the amount was paid in cash by his son, Morris G. Gordon, State Supervisor of Building and Loan Department. He also will testify that Morris Gordon paid Scott only \$113.10 for the coal, though the same cost the State \$116.

Scott is still absent from Jefferson City and his version of the transaction cannot be obtained. Gordon has told State officers who are conducting the investigation that he ordered the coal from Scott, but that he was out of town when the coal arrived and was delivered. He will testify that he had directed Morris to pay Scott for the coal and that Morris told Scott he would give him a check, but that Scott said to Morris, "I want the money."

Gordon said that Morris then drew his personal check, payable to State Treasurer Middlekamp, cashed it at the Treasurer's window and paid Scott in cash.

The records in the Treasurer's office show that Morris Gordon cashed his own check for \$113.10 at the window on June 28. The freight records show the coal arrived June 26, and the records in the Auditor's office show that the State paid \$116 for the coal.

The amount paid by Morris Gordon for the coal, according to his own statement, is less than the coal would have cost at \$2.30 per ton, based on the weight of the car at the shipping point or on the weight here in the yards.

ENEMY ALIEN HELD TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR HIS POST AT ZOO

Case of Elephant's Keeper, Who Claimed Exemption, Is Decided.

A third-class animal keeper can be an enemy alien and a city employee at the same time, according to an opinion given by Associate City Counselor Hamilton to Comptroller Nolte today.

Tanner is an enemy alien and a third-class animal keeper. Specifically, he is Elephant Jim's keeper at the Zoo. He claimed exemption from the military draft because he was not a citizen and the exemption got after him the notified Park Commissioner Caniff and Comptroller Nolte that he was not qualified to wait on Jim. The Comptroller asked Hamilton about it.

Hamilton found that the charter does not require holders of city jobs to be citizens except in specified instances, of which third-class animal keeper is not one. He found also that there is an ordinance requiring that day laborers employed by the city shall be citizens. But Tanner gets \$75 a month, so he is not a day laborer. His opinion, therefore, was that Tanner was qualified. Tanner is still Jim's keeper.

STUDENT AVIATORS PERMITTED TO TAKE CONTROL OF MACHINES

Instructors at Scott Field Made Descent and Ascent in All Flights, However.

Student aviators at Scott Field, near Belleville, were permitted today, for the first time since flying began at the field Monday, to take the control of the machines into their hands. The instructor in the rear, the student took the front control lever and ran the machine for a certain distance, but the instructor made the descent, as well as the ascent.

Five machines were in the air at one time this morning. These were all the machines now at the field, but three Curtiss machines are expected to arrive tomorrow. They are smaller and faster than the standard machines now in use, and while they hold two men, they will be used later for the students' "solo" flying.

There will be no flying at the field Sunday. Tomorrow the flying hours will be, as on other days when weather permits, 7:30 to 11:30 a. m., and 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. Visitors are not admitted to the field, but the flights can be seen from public roadways. The place can be reached by a motor ride of six miles from the Belleville Public Square, out the Carlyle road.

AMERICAN AMBULANCE DRIVER KILLED BY SHELL IN FRANCE

Minneapolis Man Meets Death and Companion Is Wounded When on Duty at Advanced Post.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—R. A. N. Hall of Minneapolis, a driver in section 62 of the Harjes-Norton Red Cross ambulance service, was killed on Tuesday when on duty at an advanced post and was buried near Avocourt Wood, says the Herald today.

The shell which killed Hall wounded his companion, B. E. Sylvester of Plainview, Minn.

AMERICAN AVIATOR KILLED IN ACCIDENT AS MOTOR FAILS

Corp. W. H. Meeker, Formerly of Harvard Crimson, Joined Lafayette Squadron in May.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—Corp. Meeker, an American aviator, was killed at Pau, Tuesday, in an airplane accident due to his motor stalling, the Herald announces today.

Attached to the Lafayette Flying Squadron, in France, William Henry Meeker, formerly of the Harvard Crimson, who sailed from New York in May to join the aviation forces in France and whose arrival at Bordeaux was reported on May 31.

U-BOAT SINKS AMERICAN SHIP; ALL OF CREW SAVED

British Admiralty Announces Destruction of the Wilmore on Sept. 12, by Submarine.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—The American ship Wilmore was sunk by a German submarine on Sept. 12, according to an announcement made today by the British admiralty. All members of the crew of the vessel were saved. Further details have not been received.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The Wilmore was an armed steamship of 5399 tons gross, built in 1914, at Quincy, Mass., and was formerly known as the Atlantic. She sailed from New York Aug. 26, with a cargo of coal, locomotives and other goods for a French port. Her owner was the Berwind White Coal Co. of New York.

PRESBYTERIAN BOARD ASKS STUDENTS TO WAIVE EXEMPTION

Recommendation, Says It Is Neither Wise Nor Patriotic to Take Advantage of Divinity Provision.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14.—The Board of Education of the Presbyterian Church has taken action asking ministerial candidates to waive exemption for military service, believing "it is neither wise nor patriotic to take advantage of the exemption provisions."

The board "recommends that unless they are compelled to seek exemption under some other provisions of the act, they 'waive exemption relating to their calling as future ministers of the gospel.'"

This stand, the board adds, "represents the spirit of loyalty on the part of the Presbyterian Church."

URUGUAYAN MARINES BOARD TEUTON SHIPS AT MONTEVIDEO

Order Covers All Vessels in Harbor When Government Hears of Plan to Sink Them.

MONTEVIDEO, Sept. 14.—Uruguayan marines today boarded all the German ships in the harbor here, the Government having heard of plans to sink the vessels.

DENTIST SUED FOR \$5000

Bernard P. Bogy Jr., Says Tooth Was Extracted Unskillfully.

Bernard P. Bogy Jr., a lawyer, sued Harry M. Fisher, a dentist in the Metropolitan Building, for \$5000 in the Circuit Court today, alleging that Fisher extracted one of his teeth unskillfully.

Bogy says he went to Fisher in November, 1913, to have one of his molars treated. Fisher advised him to have it pulled and in extracting it broke it in two and teeth on either side of it. Other dentists, he says, have advised him that he will have to have two others extracted, which will interfere with his chewing. He says he fears cancer.

Fisher, when informed by a Post-Dispatch reporter that the suit had been filed, said he did not know Bogy and did not know anything about the case.

REPORTS TO CAMP IN MOTOR CAR

Ranchman Appears at National Army Cantonment With His Golf Clubs.

CAMP FUNSTON, Kan., Sept. 14.—A ranchman from New Mexico reported at Camp Funston yesterday for duty in the national army, driving a 7-passenger motor car. He brought his golf clubs with him. There are three other golf players in camp who brought their golf clubs with them and who are waiting for the arrival in the second contingent a golf club probably will be organized.

Elmore, Ok., Bank Has Its Yearly Robbery. ARDMORE, Ok., Sept. 14.—The bank at Elmore, Ok., was robbed early today by six masked bandits, part of whom drove the townspeople indoors while others wrecked the safe. Only a small amount of money was obtained. The bank has been robbed six times within the last six years.

SWEDISH LEGATION IN MEXICO ALSO USED BY GERMANY

Lansing Reveals Information From "The Hostile Camp" Was Forwarded to Berlin.

LETTER WAS INTERCEPTED

Teuton Minister Asked Chancellor to Reward Stockholm Charge for His Services.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—An official statement issued by the Swedish Government says O. A. H. Ewerlof, secretary of the Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, has been given leave of absence from the Foreign Office and has placed himself at the disposal of the Minister of Justice to assist in the special investigation in connection with the Swedish-Argentine revelations.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—How Germany's secret practice of using Sweden's diplomatic service for transmitting forbidden communications between German agents and the Berlin Foreign Office revealed in Mexico as well as in Argentina, is revealed in a document published by the State Department which passed between the celebrated Herr von Eckhardt, German Minister in Mexico, and the Chancellor.

It discloses how Polk Cronholm, charge of the German embassy in Mexico, practically acted as a messenger boy for Von Eckhardt, personally transmitting as his legation's own dispatches, messages for the German legation, even delivering German personally at the telegraph office, and how Von Eckhardt recommended that a decoration be secretly bestowed upon Cronholm for his services.

The disclosure gives a hint of the nature of the evidence in the Government's possession of Germany's illegitimate use of neutral diplomacy. The full extent of this evidence may never be published, but it is known to be complete and this Government's action in making it public is not felt to be directed as much at Sweden as toward further informing the world at large of Germany's practices.

No Longer in the Service. It is not known whether some speculation as to how the Stockholm Foreign Office will explain it. Stockholm has declared that Baron Lownd, Swedish Minister to Argentina, transmitted messages for Count Luxburg, the German charge there, without knowing their contents.

Whether the same device will be made for Cronholm is not known; he no longer is in the Swedish diplomatic service. The interesting point in the minds of officials and diplomats here is how much the Stockholm Foreign Office knew of the affair.

Von Eckhardt's intercepted letter to the German Chancellor recounting the extent to which Cronholm had been employed by the German legation in Mexico, and his recommendation of an imperial decoration for him is regarded by allied diplomats here as further evidence of the charge that Germany has distributed decorations among the diplomats of "friendly neutrals" for such services in other instances.

Dismissed Last January. Baron Akerholm, Swedish Charge here, said in response to a query that he was dismissed from the diplomatic service last January, if it would not discuss the cause, but there was no intimation that it was in any way connected with Cronholm's relations with the Germans.

Baron Akerholm called at the State Department yesterday to inform Secretary Lansing that he had received from his Government the statement already given to the public at Stockholm, explaining that Sweden had forwarded dispatches from the German Minister at Buenos Aires to Berlin in German code without knowledge of their contents. He did not leave a copy of the statement. It is assumed that the Stockholm Foreign Office will not address any communication to the American Government on the subject.

"Acts as Intermediary." The department's translation of the Von Eckhardt letter follows: "Imperial Legation, Mexico, to His Excellency, the Imperial Chancellor: 'Herr Polk Cronholm, the Swedish Charge d'Affaires here, since his arrival has not disguised his sympathy for Germany, and has entered into close relations with this legation. He is the only diplomat through whom information from a hostile camp can be obtained. However, he acts as intermediary for official diplomatic intercourse between this legation and your excellency. In the course of this, he is obliged to go personally each time to the telegraph office, not seldom quite late at night, in order to hand in the telegrams.'

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Armed Volunteer Strength of U. S. on Sept. 6 Was 1,074,146 Men

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.

IN the belief that the country does not understand the real strength

ITALIANS FAILED IN GREAT BATTLE, VIENNA DECLARES

Austrians Say Gen. Cadorna's Armies Have Lost 230,000 Men in Month.

TERRITORIAL GAIN SMALL

Retirement of From Mile to Four Miles on Front of Nine Miles Admitted.

VIENNA, via London, Sept. 14.—An official statement issued here Wednesday characterizes the great battle on the Isonzo as an Italian failure and estimates Italian losses at 230,000 men.

The official announcement issued Wednesday said:

"The pause in the fighting along the Isonzo continues."

"The result of the eleventh Isonzo battle, which started Aug. 17, is that there is no change in the war situation in the southwest and that the battle up to the present undoubtedly is an Italian failure."

"On the Carso plateau the conquest of the village of Selo, which at the beginning of the fighting was situated in our foremost line, is the only advantage gained by the enemy. Trenches lost temporarily on the southern wing of the Carso position were recaptured by our commanders and the general staff by the application of their war experience, while our brave troops, most of them of the infantry, which had the heaviest work, once more covered themselves with glory."

"In the Wippach Valley and near Gorizia our engagements also were successful, not one trench having remained in the hands of the enemy. On the Bainsizza-Hellegesh plateau the Italians obtained a success which caused our chief command to withdraw its front line from two to seven kilometers (from a mile and a quarter to four miles and a quarter) on a front of 15 kilometers (nine miles and a quarter). Since then all attempts by the enemy to extend his front have been made at great sacrifices."

"Powerful attacks have taken place against Monte San Gabriele and on the sector northeast thereof. The war situation along the Isonzo has not been influenced by events near Vhr. and the Bainsizza struggle around Monte San Gabriele is an example of our tenacious and glorious defense."

"During the eleventh Isonzo battle the Italians had engaged 48 divisions on a front which hardly aggregates as many kilometers. The Italian losses have been correspondingly high. Including 20,000 prisoners, they amount to 230,000 men, that is, to say, almost a quarter of a million."

"An Italian squadron has shelled the ancient monastery of Pojani from the sea. Airmen also have bombed Pojani, killing several inhabitants."

French Gain in Balkans.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—The official communication issued last night gave the following account of operations in Macedonia:

"Sept. 12.—Intense artillery activity was displayed in the region of Monastir. In the neighborhood of the lakes our troops have reached Muntelista, on the west shore of Lake Ochrida, and Hill 1704, 10 kilometers northwest of Muntelista. On Sept. 11 and 12 we captured 180 prisoners, two mountain guns and three machine guns."

French Official.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—A German attack against the French positions on the Casement Plateau in the Alsace region last night was repulsed after hard hand-to-hand fighting, the War Office announced today.

Russian Official.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 14.—The official statement issued yesterday said: "In the direction of Riga our de-

American Soldiers in Training Trenches in France



This photograph shows the U. S. soldiers receiving instructions in the art of throwing grenades with guns. French soldiers, of the division with which they are quartered, are showing them how this dangerous work must be done to be effective.

tachments continue to fight their way forward. In the region of the coast we have occupied the village of Kullik. South of the Pakov road Leith battalions, after fierce fighting, occupied the village of Pelme, capturing prisoners and booty. After the occupation of this village the Letts moved forward in the direction of Rezenon on and further south our units occupied the line of Moritzburg - Wiz - Waxe - Dourus - Shkersten - Myza - Altkolpet - Milones - Nigalas."

German Official.

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 14.—German shock troops yesterday penetrated as far as the second French line west of Guignicourt on the Alsace front and inflicted heavy losses on the defenders, according to the official statement issued today by the War Office. In Flanders the artillery battle increased to drum fire, the announcement adds, but no English attack developed.

The general staff reports that on the night of Sept. 12-13 the British were driven from the wooded section north of Langemark on the Belgian front and that numerous English were taken prisoner.

KORNILOFF READY TO SURRENDER TO GEN. ALEXIEFF

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stitutional Democrats for their passive attitude so long as Gen. Korniloff seemed to have a chance of success. The Premier has commissioned M. Kishkin to negotiate with the Moscow industrial circles to obtain their support of the Government and if possible the entry of business men into the Cabinet. If this plan succeeds the Cabinet undoubtedly will be much strengthened and the bad results of the revolt may speedily be remedied.

Gen. Korniloff has communicated to the Government his intention to surrender on the arrival of Gen. Alexieff, Commander in Chief of the Russian armies at Mohilev, where he was due last evening.

The Council of Soldiers and Workmen's Delegates sent a deputation to the troops to explain the situation, whereupon the Cossacks declared they were ready to arrest their commander provided an order was received from Premier Kerensky. The

Council telegraphed to the Premier, who ordered Gen. Krymoff's arrest. Gen. Krymoff submitted without resistance and was brought to Petrograd. The Cossacks of his command have joined the Government forces in the Luga garrison. Railway service between Luga and Petrograd has been resumed.

M. Sokolov, private secretary to Premier Kerensky, told the Associated Press "the situation shows steady improvement." Continuing, he said: "Gen. Korniloff has not surrendered, but he is quite prepared to do so, and is in a position of complete impotence. We have just received an offer of surrender from 12 companies of Korniloff troops, who say they have been deceived, and Gen. Kaledin, who, with his Don Cossacks, began a menacing movement against the Government, has been checked."

Revolt Endangered Russia. M. Avskentiev, Minister of the Interior, said that, as a result of the Korniloff revolt, all Russia on the fronts for three days remained without the least defense and without added, ought to be inflicted on Gen. Korniloff. He said the Government would do nothing to mitigate his fate.

The diplomatic representatives of the allied Powers have issued a statement denying allegations made by some of the newspapers that they are taking steps either to support Gen. Korniloff's action or to hinder his suppression, which, the statement adds, is contrary to the role of the allies with respect to Russian internal affairs.

Headquarters Surrenders. The Executive Committees of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies and Peasants' Delegates held a general council yesterday to discuss the action of Gen. Korniloff.

M. Skobelev, Minister of Labor, announced the Korniloff adventure had collapsed completely and that this headquarters had surrendered. The Minister added that soon the whole administration and organization of the Russian army would be modified. He declared the Government had announced in full agreement with the revolutionary democracy, which had thus triumphed, but that victory ought not to lessen the vigilance of the Government, because new attempts at counter revolution were possible, through the criminal activity of Gen. Kaledin, chief of the Cossacks. M. Skobelev concluded by saying that in the new Government the presence of any elements suspected of sympathy with Korniloff ought to be made impossible.

Col. Vershovsky, former commander of the Moscow military district, has been appointed acting Minister of War. Gen. Trepov has been named commander of the military district of Petrograd and M. Paltchinski, former Assistant Minister of Trade, has been given the post of Military Governor-General of Petrograd.

Admiral D. N. Verdevskiy, former Commander in Chief of the Baltic fleet, has been appointed Minister of Marine.

Gen. Ruzsky and Dragomiroff have been appointed respectively Commander in Chief of the northern and southwestern fronts.

Gen. Ruzsky previously had been in charge of the Russian armies on the northern front. He was removed from the command in May of the present year, but remained a member of the council of war.

The provisional Government, according to the Russian official news agency, has sent an extraordinary special commission to the Russian army headquarters in the field to investigate the Korniloff affair.

"Savage" Division Agrees Not to Attack Kerensky Forces. VILLAGE OF POPOVO, near Tarkosko-Selo, Russia, Thursday, Sept. 13.—Having obtained the only permit issued by the chief of the Petrograd district staff to a newspaper man since the beginning of Gen. Korniloff's revolt, the Associated Press correspondent early this morning arrived at this village which is the headquarters of the staff of a rifle regiment of the guard which, with two other rifle regiments, is engaged in holding the front opposite the famous "Savage"

division. The situation here is as follows:

Although all danger of an armed struggle is now excluded, the "Savage" division still is not agreed to surrender on the terms granted by the provisional Government last night, but it has formally pledged itself not to attack the Kerensky forces. With its artillery and machine-gun detachments the division, which is composed of tribesmen from the Caucasus, is quartered peacefully in villages south of this place without entrenchments, outposts, sentries or reconnoitering detachments.

Passing within 40 yards of the Popovo church are the government-al lines but the Kerensky forces also have no intention of attacking, as negotiations are proceeding and there is a prospect of a settlement being reached before nightfall.

Russian emissaries and officers recently are passing into the hands of the Caucasians, carrying proclamations signed by Gen. Filonenko, the supreme commissioner, advising the troops of the "Savage" division to abandon their officers and march to Tarkosko-Selo, likewise, tribesmen from the division all the time are coming into Popovo with plans for a settlement.

The governmental lines were defended with very primitive fire entanglements fixed to trees or rude trenches. An officer accompanying the correspondent assured him the reason for this was that the Kerensky forces had not received reinforcements until yesterday. For three days four companies of infantry had faced the whole "Savage" division, hourly expecting an attack which might prove to be a massacre.

FALLS FROM WINDOW OF ROOM HE HAD WON BY MATCHING

Illinois Mine Worker Who Went to St. Nicholas Hotel With Cousins, Found Dead on Sidewalk.

George Barber, 23 years old, and his cousins, James and Joseph Finnellay, all of Platt City, Ala., who have been working in the coal mines at Sesser, Ill., came here yesterday to see the sights.

At 1 o'clock this morning they went to the St. Nicholas hotel, 100 South Broadway, and were assigned to a double and a single room on the third floor. They "matched" for the single room and Barber got it. It was on the third floor, front.

At 3:30 o'clock Barber was found, dressed in trousers and shirt, lying on the sidewalk, dead. His cousins were asleep in their room.

Barbour's bed was not near the window from which he appeared to have fallen. His body was taken to the morgue. His cousins were held as witnesses for the coroner.

A DANDY LOTION MADE WITH LEMONS

Whitens, softens and beautifies any skin and creates a spotless complexion. Cheap, too!

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin bleach and beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold cream. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. It really will bleach and remove such blemishes as pimples, blackheads, freckles and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoother and beautifier which absorbs readily and is not sticky or greasy.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this harmless lemon lotion and apply it daily to the face, neck, arms and hands. It really does soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.—ADV.

GENE RODEMICH PLAYS SOLO ON GEO. D. LITTLE

Jazz Band Leader at Cicardi's Knocks Out Attorney During a War Argument.

In a surprise attack at Cicardi's buffet, Euclid and Delmar avenues, last night, George D. Little, an attorney, was knocked out by Gene Rodemich, jazz band leader, of diminutive size, who had not heretofore been suspected of having a punch except when landing right and left hooks on the keys of a piano.

Little is much larger than Rodemich, who showed the hardihood of a David attacking a Goliath when he landed the one swift wallop that gave him an undisputed victory.

Rodemich had been reading the jazz band in the Cicardi restaurant. At the invitation of a diner he and his musicians went into the barroom for refreshments, arriving there just as Little entered upon a wordy war argument with another customer.

Little became so demonstrative over the war that his friend, R. Eugene Blodgett, also an attorney, interposed his towering form between Little and his verbal antagonist.

Rodemich and his jazz musicians were not in the argument. They were strung out along the bar, and by accident of location Rodemich was within arm's length of Little, who was gesticulating with great vigor.

One of Little's sweeping gestures was so comprehensive that his hand struck the glass which Rodemich was holding, dashing it to the floor.

There was no formal breaking off of relations or declaration of hostilities. Rodemich drew himself to his full height of 5 feet and a few inches, drew back his arm and delivered a straight punch to Little's jaw.

It was a clean knockout. Little fell to the floor. His chin struck a chair and the back of his neck was cut. His coat also was ripped.

While Blodgett and others were reviving Little and trying to replace the rent in his coat with pins, Rodemich gave the jazz high sign to the members of the band and they fled back into the restaurant. A few minutes later Rodemich was tickling the piano keys as if nothing had happened.

When there was a lull in the music one of the diners went to Rodemich and told him Little's act in knocking the glass from his hand was not hostile, and suggested that he ought to apologize.

Rodemich entered the barroom and found Little had regained his feet. He advanced toward and offered an apology.

With an incoherent expression Little looked down on his diminutive conqueror.

"Is that what hit me," he said. "He assured that it was."

"Well, then, it's on me," he said. "Let's have a drink," and they did.

SWEDISH LEGATION IN MEXICO ALSO USED BY GERMANY

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consulate-general at Hamburg. Herr Cronholm has not yet a Swedish, but only a Chinese, order at present. I venture to submit to your excellency the advisability of having before his majesty, the Emperor, the name of Herr Cronholm, with a view to the crown order of the second class being bestowed upon him.

"It would perhaps be desirable in order not to excite the enemy's suspicion, to treat with secrecy the matter of the issue of the patents until the end of the war, should the decision be favorable to my suggestion. This would mean that the matter would be communicated to no one but the recipient and his Government, and even to them under the seal of secrecy. While the publication of the bestowal of the decoration would be postponed until the end of the war."

"I should be particularly grateful to your excellency if you could be furnished with telegraphic news of the bestowal of the decoration, which I strongly recommend in view of the circumstances detailed above."

"VON ECKHARDT."

Officials here are watching with interest the situation in Argentina where reports indicate that the indignation of both the people and the Government have been aroused to such a pitch that the Government may have difficulty in keeping itself from being forced into breaking relations with Germany, regardless of any explanations from Berlin, and of being pressed into a sharp controversy with Stockholm.

Count von Luxburg Dodges Riotous Mobs in Buenos Aires. BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 14.—Count von Luxburg, the German Minister whose passes were sent to the German legation by the Argentine Government because his objectionable messages to Berlin through the Swedish Foreign Office had rendered him persona non grata, dodged three menacing crowds which were awaiting him on his arrival at Buenos Aires from the interior yesterday. Count von Luxburg was surrounded by the police to leave the train at San Martin, 12 miles outside, when news of the crowds that had gathered at the Buenos Aires railway terminal reached them.

The chief of Police was on hand with a large guard of secret service men and the Count was conveyed to his home in the Chief's car.

"And these are my friends, the Argentine!" he exclaimed to employees of the legation who met him. "What has happened?" he asked. "I know absolutely nothing. What has transpired?"

The Count, however, although shown the Washington messages of last Saturday evening, his suggestion that Argentine ships be sunk "with out leaving a trace" and his aspersions upon the acting Minister of Foreign

ASHES OF DR. KINNER'S BODY TO BE SPRINKLED ON RIVER

Ceremony Will Be in Accordance With His Wish—Cremation To Follow Funeral.

The body of Dr. Hugo Kinner of 1103 Rutger street, who died Tuesday, will be cremated following the funeral next Monday, and in accordance with his wish the ashes will be sprinkled on the Mississippi River from Eads Bridge.

Dr. Kinner was 77 years old and had been a practicing physician in St. Louis since 1864. He was born in Worlitz, Germany.

After coming to St. Louis he made many visits to the Indian tribes and became well versed in the customs and language of the Indians. In recognition of his services to their tribe the Pentakha Comanches made him a "blood" chief by a ceremony in which blood from the veins of an Indian chief was transferred to the veins of his physician. To these Indians Dr. Kinner was known as Atawitza Haats, which meant "Our Good Friend."

PRESIDENT RIDES BEHIND HORSES

"First Time in Years," He Says, on Island Where Autos Are Banned.

NANTUCKET, Mass., Sept. 14.—President Wilson, cruising in the yacht Mayflower, paid a visit to this island yesterday. Accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and his daughter, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, he arrived from New London, Conn., in the afternoon, and received a cordial greeting.

Later President and Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Sayre were driven across the island to Siasconset, where the Sayre family are spending the summer. As automobiles are banned, the journey was made behind a team of horses. It was an experience, the President remarked, that he had not had in years, and he appeared to enjoy it thoroughly. After dinner at the Sayre residence President and Mrs. Wilson returned here and went aboard the Mayflower, which soon put to sea.

DEPUTY TO BE PRISON WARDEN

Gilvin Will Be Promoted if He Agrees With Board on Reforms. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 14.—The State Prison Board, it has been learned, has decided to promote Deputy Warden Porter Gilvin to the position of warden of the penitentiary if he can convince the Board that he is in sympathy with the body's ideas of prison reform, particularly as to the honor system of dealing with convicts.

Gilvin is of the older school of prison men and the board has felt that he was not in full sympathy with its reform movements.

NEWSPAPER UNION BUYS OUT RIVAL

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The Western Newspaper Union has purchased the entire plant business and plants of the American Press Association in New York and 16 other cities. The Western Newspaper Union will continue to maintain its 32 branch offices and also will take over the branches of the American Press Association.

WOMAN COMPLETELY SCALPED IN COLLISION OF TWO AUTOS

Four Others Injured in Crash in Front of 4527 Washington Boulevard—Two Drivers Charged With Carelessness.

Mrs. Sophia Byrne, 32 years old, of 4722 Newberry place, was completely scalped at 1:40 o'clock this morning when an automobile in which she was riding with Lymon E. Warren, a dyer and cleaner, of Webster Groves, collided head-on with an automobile run by W. T. Branson, a salesman, of 4303 Chouteau avenue, in front of 4527 Washington boulevard.

Miss May de Lisle of 2927 South Second street and Miss May Meyers of 4226A Olive street, saleswomen, who were in Branson's car, were cut on the head and face. Branson and Warren also were cut and bruised.

Mrs. Byrne was taken to the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium, where it was said that her condition was serious. She said she could not explain how she was scalped, as she lost consciousness.

Branson told the police that he was driving west on the north side of the street and that he misjudged the space between his car and Warren's auto, which was eastbound, because only one headlight on the Warren car was burning and Branson mistook the auto for a motorcycle. The collision knocked both cars to the south side of the street.

Branson and Warren were arrested, charged with carelessness. An additional charge of having his auto insufficiently lighted was placed against Warren.

Woman Killed by Auto Identified.

The woman who was killed in an automobile accident in front of 4145 Delmar boulevard early yesterday was Mrs. Jules Roderich of the Wellington Hotel, according to an identification made by relatives. She was known at the hotel as Miss Marie Raymond. Roderich, an automobile mechanic, lives at 3213 Olive street, while his wife lived at the hotel downtown.

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Entirely New, Clean, Easy, Harmless Treatment for Restoring Youthful Dark Color to Gray and Faded Hair Called "Canute Water."

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NOTE: You are absolutely safe in trying a bottle, as after having been tried and proven successful by hundreds of their customers leading stores are recommending "Canute Water for Gray Hair" to those who wish the color of their hair restored. Believe us after a week you'll thank yourself for having tried it. Sold for \$1 at such reliable dealers as Famous & Barr Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Store, Judge & Delp & Drug Store.—ADV.

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Nearly All the Money Used So Far Has Been Raised by Bond Issues, the Interest of Which Now Runs to \$1,000,000,000 a Year ---Expectation Was to Repay Loans by Indemnities but That Hope Is Fading.

This is the thirty-seventh installment of "My Four Years in Germany," in which the American diplomat recounts his experiences at the Court of Berlin.

By JAMES W. GERARD.

American Ambassador to the German Imperial Court, July 28, 1913, to Feb. 4, 1917.

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MUCH of the commercial success of the Germans during the last forty years is due to the fact that each manufacturer, each discoverer in Germany, each exporter knew that the whole weight and power of the Government was behind him in his efforts to increase his business. On the other hand, in America, business men have been terrorized, almost into inaction, by constant prosecution. What was a crime in one part of the United States under one Circuit Court of Appeals was a perfectly legitimate act in another. If we have to meet the intense competition of Germany after the war, we have got to view all these business problems from new angles.

For instance, there is the question of free ports. Representative Murray Hulbert has introduced in the House of Representatives a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of War and the Secretary of Commerce to report to Congress as to the advisability of the establishment of free ports within the limits of the established customs of the United States. Advantage of Setting Up Free Ports.

Free ports exist in Germany and have existed for a long time, although Germany is a country with a protective tariff. In a free port raw goods are manufactured and then exported, of course, to the advantage of the country permitting the establishment of free ports, because by this manufacture of raw materials and their re-export, without being subject to duty, money is earned by the manufacturers to the benefit of their own country and employment is given to many workmen; thus of course improving the conditions of these workmen and of all others in the country. It is self-evident that the employment of each workman in an industry which would not exist except for the existence of the free port withdraws that workman from the general labor market and, therefore, benefits the position of his remaining fellow laborers.

Although free ports do not exist in the United States, an attempt has been made to give certain industries, by means of what are known as "drawbacks," the same benefit that they would enjoy were free ports existent in our country.

Thus the refiners of raw sugar from Cuba pay a duty on this sugar when it enters the United States, but receive this duty back when a corresponding amount of refined sugar is exported to other countries.

There has lately been an attack made upon this system—in the case, however, of the sugar refiners only—and the question has been treated in some newspapers as if these refiners were obtaining some unfair advantage from the Government. Whereas, as a matter of fact, the allowance of these "drawbacks" enables the sugar refiners to carry on the refining of the sugar for export much as they would if their refineries existed in free ports modeled on the German system.

The repeal of the provision of allowing "drawbacks" in this and other industries will probably send the industries to Canada or to some other territory where this system, equivalent to the free port, is permitted to exist.

A few days before I left Germany I had a conversation with a manufacturer of munitions who employs about 18,000 people in his factories, which, before the war, manufactured articles other than munitions. I asked him how the Government treated the manufacturers of munitions, and he said that they were allowed to make good profits, although they had to pay out a great proportion of these profits in the form of taxes on their excess war profits; that the Government desired to encourage manufacturers to turn their plants into factories for the making of all articles required by the nation in sustaining war, and that the manufacturers would do this, provided that it were only a question as to how much of their profits they would be allowed to keep. But if the Government had attempted, he said, to fix prices so low that there would have been a doubt as to whether the manufacturer could make a profit or not, the production of articles required for war would never have reached the high mark that it had in Germany.

As a matter of fact, about the only tax imposed in Germany since the outbreak of the war has been the tax upon cost or war profits. It has been the policy of Germany to pay for the war by great loans raised by popular subscription, after authorization by the Reichstag. I calculate that the amounts thus raised, together with the floating indebtedness, amounts to date to about \$6,000,000,000 marks (\$20,000,000,000).

For a long time the Germans expected that the expenses of the war would be paid from the indemnities to be recovered by the Germans from the nations at war with it.

Hefferich shadowed this forth in his speech in the Reichstag on Aug. 20, 1915, when he said:

If we wish to have the power to settle the terms of peace according to our interests and our requirements, then we must not forget the question of cost. We must have in view that the whole future activity of our people, so far as this is at all possible, shall be free from burdens. The leaden weight of billions has been earned by the instigators of this war, and they, in the future, rather than we, drag it about after them. Of course, by "instigators of the

Prospective German Bankruptcy.

Now when we have the annual interest to be paid by Germany exceeding the annual increment of the country, the social and even moral bankruptcy of the country must ensue. If repudiation of the loan or any part of it is then forced, the loss naturally falls upon those who have taken the loan. The workingman and the capitalist who puts all his savings in the war loan is without support for his old age, and so with the man who took insurance in the insurance companies or put his savings in a bank if that bank becomes bankrupt through repudiation of the war loan. You then have the country in a position where the able-bodied are all working to pay what they can toward the interest of the Government loan, after earning enough to keep themselves and their families alive, and the old and the young, without support and deprived of their savings, become poorhouse burdens on the community. Already the mere interest of the

Dirty Spots on Our Flag

Drawn by Louis Raemaekers, The Famous Dutch Cartoonist.



Mr. Raemaekers is in the United States drawing a series of cartoons on present-day episodes of the great war. These timely cartoons appear exclusively in the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis.

NEW YORK HERALD DISCUSSES MOTIVES OF SENATOR REED

Article Asserts He Is Anti-British, "Of Old School," and Not Approved by Voters.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The Herald today prints a second article dealing with "obstructionists" in the Senate and discusses the possible motives actuating Senator Reed of Missouri. The article declares Reed opposed the selective draft law because he belongs to the old school which believes the volunteer system is more in keeping with American traditions and because he believed his State preferred the volunteer system.

In connection with Reed's opposition to the food control bill, the Herald says the law firm of which Reed is a member is retained by the Kansas City Stock Exchange and that Reed has been identified indirectly with the influential brewery interests of Missouri.

Discussing Reed's vigorous attacks on Food Administrator Hoover the article says Reed is anti-British and believed Hoover was pro-British. "It is believed that there is a lingering trace of bitterness in his fight against the appointment of Hoover arising from bitter patronage fights he had with President Wilson," says the Herald. Senator Reed's course is not approved by the voters in his State, says the article.

Number of Hogs in U. S. Decreasing.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—One of the reasons of the high cost of pork is seen in estimates of the number of stock hogs in the United States Sept. 1, announced by the Department of Agriculture. They show a decrease of 8.2 per cent, compared with the supply a year ago. The number was 60,218,000 Sept. 1, and

Five Automobiles Reported Stolen Last Night.

Two men stole an automobile belonging to Lloyd Gontner, 4181 Washington boulevard, from Twelfth and Olive streets, last night, and abandoned the car after colliding with a mail truck just east of Twelfth on Olive.

Five automobiles reported stolen last night were owned by Edward Devay, 604 Equitable Building; E. N. S. Lee, 5537 Cates avenue; Heberman, Mackey & Co., 434 Pierce Building; Hudson-Phillips Motor Car Co., 3100 Locust street, and Mrs. Lottie Grigaby, 3115 State street, East St. Louis.

Hoo-Hoo Elect St. Louisan.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Members of the Lumbermen's Association, known as the Hoo-Hoo, yesterday elected W. A. Priddle, Beaumont, Tex., snark of the universe, and L. M. Tuttle, St. Louis, scrivener.

A UNITED STATES MAIL CARRIER

"I Have Money in the Mercantile"



Not a whole lot—I've only had my Mercantile Savings Account about three years. But I've saved regularly every month except for a short time when my wife was sick. Some day I'm going to have enough to buy a little farm—and quit carrying letters. That's what I'm saving for."

3% Interest.

MERCANTILE TRUST CO.

EIGHTH AND LOCUST—TO ST. CHARLES

Member of Federal Reserve System
United States Government Protection.

FLAG SALUTES HERE PART OF NATIONAL CELEBRATION TODAY

Schools and Camps Observe 103d Anniversary of "The Star-Spangled Banner."

Children in all the St. Louis schools, both public and parochial, sang "The Star-Spangled Banner" and waved the flag at 9 o'clock this morning, in the observance of the one hundred and third anniversary of the writing of the anthem by Francis Scott Key.

Mrs. Nat S. Brown of 6224 Washington avenue, wife of the assistant general solicitor of the Wabash Railroad, brought about not only the observance of this anniversary in the St. Louis schools, but a like observance at army training camps throughout the country. Mrs. Brown has enrolled a large number of school children in the Children of America Loyalty League, of which she is president.

At Jefferson Barracks, which is a recruit post of the regular army, there was no additional observance this morning, as the raising and saluting of the flag form a part of every morning's regular exercises.

At Fort Sheridan, Ill., where a large body of officers is in training, the band played the national anthem at reveille, and a salute of 21 guns was fired, while the entire command stood at "present arms."

Coliseum Meeting Tonight.

A large attendance is expected at tonight's meeting in the Coliseum, at which "The Star Spangled Banner" will be sung by the Knights of Columbus Choral Club, the audience joining in the last lines. Naturalized citizens have been especially invited to attend, accompanied by their children.

There will be no charge for admittance to the meeting. A feature of note will be parades of uniformed bodies, including the Missouri Field Artillery, the largest volunteer body now remaining in St. Louis. These bodies will assemble at assigned points, and some of them will march from downtown to the Coliseum. In the procession in the Coliseum will be veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic, Letter Carriers' Drum Corps, Boy Scouts, Naval Scouts, the Famous-Barr Drum Corps, the Grand-Leader Choral Club, and the Children of America Loyalty League. John B. O'Meara, former Adjutant-General, will be grand marshal of the parade.

James C. Jones will make the principal address, and Postmaster Selph will preside. Rabbi Leon Harrison will offer the invocation. There will be patriotic music by the Jefferson Barracks band and by choral clubs.

A dinner will be given at the St. Louis Club this evening in honor of Capt. Charles Dolphin of the western division, British-Canadian Recruiting Mission, who is in charge of a recruiting office here for British subjects.

"The Star-Spangled Banner" will be sung at this dinner.

A peculiarly fitting celebration of the anniversary of the writing of the national anthem will be the singing of the song this evening by Miss Alberta Frances Scott Key, great-great-granddaughter of the author, at a social gathering at her home, 5144 Cates avenue.

Miss Key is 19 years old and it has been her custom ever since she was old enough to sing the "Star-Spangled Banner" on the anniversary of its writing. It was the first song she learned.

Miss Key's father, Bynum Ather-ton Key, is a son of David Francis Scott Key, who was a grandson of Francis Scott Key, writer of the song. The family came to St. Louis from the South about 16 years ago.

1013 MEN ARE TO START WEDNESDAY TO CAMP FUNSTON

Other 740 Making Up 40 Per Cent of City's Contingent Will Entrain Saturday.

A revised plan for the departure of the 40 per cent contingent of drafted men from St. Louis to the mobilization center at Camp Funston was announced last night at Jefferson City by Adjutant-General McCord. Under the new order the 1753 registrants from the city will depart on two days instead of on five according to the original instructions.

Next Wednesday night 1040 men will depart in two detachments over two railroad lines. On the following Saturday morning the remaining 713 will be dispatched to Camp Funston. The following is the order of departure by wards:

Leaving at 8:30 p. m., Wednesday—Wards No. 1, 54 men; No. 2, 48 men; No. 3, 42 men; No. 4, 36 men; No. 5, 30 men; No. 6, 24 men; No. 7, 18 men; No. 8, 12 men; No. 9, 6 men; No. 10, 5 men; No. 11, 4 men; No. 12, 3 men; No. 13, 2 men; No. 14, 1 man; No. 15, 1 man; No. 16, 1 man; No. 17, 1 man; No. 18, 1 man; No. 19, 1 man; No. 20, 1 man; No. 21, 1 man; No. 22, 1 man; No. 23, 1 man; No. 24, 1 man; No. 25, 1 man; No. 26, 1 man; No. 27, 1 man; No. 28, 1 man; No. 29, 1 man; No. 30, 1 man; No. 31, 1 man; No. 32, 1 man; No. 33, 1 man; No. 34, 1 man; No. 35, 1 man; No. 36, 1 man; No. 37, 1 man; No. 38, 1 man; No. 39, 1 man; No. 40, 1 man; No. 41, 1 man; No. 42, 1 man; No. 43, 1 man; No. 44, 1 man; No. 45, 1 man; No. 46, 1 man; No. 47, 1 man; No. 48, 1 man; No. 49, 1 man; No. 50, 1 man; No. 51, 1 man; No. 52, 1 man; No. 53, 1 man; No. 54, 1 man; No. 55, 1 man; No. 56, 1 man; No. 57, 1 man; No. 58, 1 man; No. 59, 1 man; No. 60, 1 man; No. 61, 1 man; No. 62, 1 man; No. 63, 1 man; No. 64, 1 man; No. 65, 1 man; 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CIVIC LEAGUE INVITED TO U. R. BILLS HEARING

Representative Asked to Meet
With Aldermanic Utilities
Committee Monday.

Representatives of the Civic League and the United Railways Co. have been invited to discuss the pending "settlement" bills before the Public Utilities Committee of the Board of Aldermen next Monday evening. President Aloe of the Board of Aldermen says that the United Railways' representative probably will be its special counsel, Thomas M. Pierce. The Civic League has not named its representative.

President Aloe told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that there is a serious legal question as to whether Ordinance No. 2, which contemplates a "settlement" without a partnership between the company and the city, grants a new franchise, or merely extends the present franchise for 50 years. A special committee of the Civic League, of which Charles W. Bates, Lambert E. Walther and William F. Woerner, all former City Counselors, were members, declared in one of its reports, President Aloe said, that the first bill gave the United Railways a new franchise and in another report held that only an extension was granted by the second ordinance.

Invitation at First Refused.
"If the company's present franchise is merely extended by this ordinance, the referendum would not be applicable," President Aloe said. "It is an important point, and I hope the attorneys for the Civic League will come prepared to enlighten the committee."

President Aloe told members of the Public Utilities Committee last night that the Civic League at first declined an invitation to discuss the pending bills, but when informed that its reports would be of little value unless explained and defended by members of its special committee, the refusal was reconsidered.

After hearing the arguments of the Civic League against, and those of the United Railways Co. for, the bills, the Public Utilities Committee will get a report from C. E. Smith, consulting engineer for the city. Smith concurred in the valuation of \$60,000,000 which both pending bills fix on the properties of the United Railways.

Comparison of Figures.
The committee last night studied statistics gathered by the Civic League to show that the United Railways pays no more in all forms of taxes than is paid by street railways in other cities. The data presented by the League, as has been told, discloses that the railways of Cincinnati pay 13.10 per cent of their gross revenues in taxes Denver railways, 8.35 per cent; those in Chicago, 7.35 per cent; those in Kansas City, 7.13 per cent; and those in Milwaukee, 6.57 per cent.

The United Railways pays 6.45 per cent of its gross revenues in taxes of all kinds. The railways of Greater New York, Cleveland, Los Angeles, Boston, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh pay less than the United Railways.

BABY ADOPTED BY BELLEVILLE CAMPFIRE GIRLS IS DEAD

One of Twin Girls, 17 Months Old, Was Ill Short Time—Score of Girls Attended Funeral.

Ether Marsh, 17 months old, adopted on the day of her birth by the Tapawingo Camp of the Belleville Campfire Girls, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Marsh, 208 East C street, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, after an illness of a few weeks.

Baby Ether and her twin sister, Ruth, became the proteges of the Campfire Girls during "Baby Week" last year, at the suggestion of the Belleville Mothers' Club. It had been the intention of adopting the first baby born that week, but when twins arrived, a second layette was hastily prepared.

More than a score of members of the Tapawingo Camp attended the funeral of the baby this morning.

The baby is survived by her parents, her twin sister, Ruth, an elder sister, Edna, and two brothers.

Where can you find good rooms and board? Consult today's Want Columns.

Boy, 4, Found in Woods After 72 Hours.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 14.—After milltimen, policemen and civilians had failed to find him in the woods, where he had been lost for more than 72 hours, Michael Janiko, 4 years old, was discovered yesterday by 8-year-old John Joblonsky. His hands were shrunk from exposure. Doctors say he undoubtedly will recover.

Now Is the Time to Save Money. Buy Your Clothes at the GLOBE Tomorrow and Save \$5 on Your Suit.

MEN'S GOOD CASSIMERE \$5
MEN'S FINE ALL-WOOL BLUE SERGE SUITS 8.75
MEN'S FINE \$20 BALTIMORE TAILORED SUITS 14.50
MEN'S ALL-WOOL BLUE SERGE PANTS 2.45
MEN'S GOOD WORK PANTS \$1
BOYS' CASSIMERE PINCH-BACK SUITS 4.95
BOYS' CASSIMERE KNEE PANTS 1.95
BOYS' SCHOOL BLOUSES 50c
BOYS' SCHOOL 25c

Double Eagle Stamps Tomorrow

Open Saturday Night Till 10

JOIN OUR THRIFT CLUB

SAVE A DIAMOND WEAR WHILE PAYING

\$1.00 A WEEK BUYS A DIAMOND OR ELGIN WATCH AT

McCOY-WEBER

225 Fifth St. Open 6-9

Detroit

Kansas City

St. Louis

Cincinnati



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Fine FURS

Vogue Styles—not to be seen elsewhere. Unusual styles—and unusual qualities at our prices. A special value for tomorrow will be: Taupe and Kamchatka Fox Sets



—with silk-lined Scarfs and canteen-shaped Muffs to match, trimmed with head and tail brush, for

\$44.75

Other rich Fur Scarfs are priced as high as \$67.50—and Muffs at corresponding prices.

First Floor.

New Walking BOOTS

A pair of these new Military-heel Walking Boots will be found just what is needed by the college girl, business woman and for general wear.



High-cut, welt sole, straight Military heel, may be had in several combinations.

\$7.50

and

\$8.00

Balcony

Great Feature in SUITS

Both semi-tailored and tailored models are offered at this price—of correct fabrics and in the rich Autumn shades—Java brown, Beet Root, Burgundy, plum, etc.

The combination of style and quality in these Suits is remarkable

\$25

Exclusive Suits

Finest fabrics—including Panné Velvet, rich Broadcloths, etc., many handsomely fur trimmed—are priced \$50 to \$195.

Third Floor.



New Arrivals in COATS

Burella Cloth, Wool Velours, Silk Seal Plush, Silverwool, Pompon Cloth, etc.—Burgundy, Wood Brown, Forest green, mixtures, etc.

The Coats at these two popular prices are remarkable values.

\$20 \$25

Exclusive Coats

of Crystal Cloth, Silverwool, Bolivia, Pompon, Panné Velvet—in rich Autumn shades—are priced \$45 to \$195.

Third Floor.

PETTICOATS

Taffeta Silk Petticoats in solid suit shades and pretty changeables; deep tucked flounces. Special value..\$2.95 First Floor.

Inexpensive Dress Department

Never anything in this section of our Dress Department over \$15—and tomorrow we will specialize on Navy, Black and Colored Serge Dresses, and Satins—handsome effects in vogue styles—at but

\$10

Fourth Floor.

Unusual Display of SKIRTS



New Silk and Cloth Skirts will be offered tomorrow at these three specialized prices. Solid colors and fancy plaids—new yoke, side-draped and gathered effects. Unmatchable values at

\$5

\$7.95

\$10

Fourth Floor.

Enticing Display of

New Waists

Georgettes and Crepe de Chines, in white, Flesh and a few in suit shades; also Net Waists showing touches of embroidery and with Flesh camisole. Exceptional choice for Saturday at

\$2.95

First Floor.



Trimmed Velvet Hats

Specially Designed for Wear With the New Fall Suits

A truly wonderful assortment—of Lyons, Silk and Panné Velvet, in a great variety of captivating styles. Choice of the right hat is made an easy matter here.

\$7.50 \$8.50 \$10



Kline's Noted Trimmed Hats

Jaunty, youthful styles—as well as those for more mature women. Our showing at this price is exceptional.

\$5

Untrimmed Hats

Lyons, Panné and Salt's Velvet and Hatters' Plush—all colors and black. Every style from the close-fitting to the largest shape. Special values in these three groups.

\$1.95 \$2.95 \$3.95

Special Sale

of Tailored Hats—200 new, fresh styles—in brown, purple, red, navy, etc. Small and medium Sailors with straight, drooping or rolling brims are specially priced at

\$2.95 \$3.95 \$5

Sale of Children's Hats

Our entire stock of fine Felts and Velours for Children included in this great sale—all colors and every desirable shape.

\$1.50 to \$5

(Second Floor.)

Smart Dress Hats for Children are shown of Lyons Silk and Salt's Velvet, in old rose, blue, brown, taupe and purple—newest trimmings. Prices—

\$1.25 to \$5.75

New Underwear



Flesh and White Crepe de Chine Envelopes—lace or embroidered—trimmed with shoulder straps or lace sleeves. Special at

\$2.00

Camisoles of Crepe de Chine, trimmed with lace and Georgette Ribbon, or lace shoulder straps—Flesh. All sizes 36 to 46.

\$1.00

First Floor

New Children's Wear

Girls' Serge Dresses—6 to 16 years—in red, navy or brown—in a pretty box-plaited model—are priced.....\$5

—another little Dress is a combination of Serge and Checked Worsteds. This model is priced.....\$3.95

Children's Tub School Dresses—solid colors and fancy plaid gingham, made with long sleeves—are priced

\$1, \$1.50, \$1.95 and upward

Girls' Wool Sweaters—sizes 6 to 16 years—in rose, Kelly green, brown and red—are priced.....\$3.95 to \$6.95

Balcony

FALL 1917

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507 Washington Ave.

Saturday Sales!!

Women's High Cut Fall Boots

DESIGNED in military effect—lace style—made of fine quality kidskin with cloth or buck tops—quite a variety of two tone effects in gray, brown, sand, patents and black kid—priced at—

\$7.00

Growing Girls' English Boots

THE popular Shoe for school and street wear—shown in dark brown calf—Goodyear welt sewed—\$5.50 values at—

\$4.50

In black—at \$4.60

Men's Fall Shoes

SPECIAL showing of men's Black Calf Shoes in broad toe and English lasts—Goodyear welt soles—stylish, perfect fitting and long wearing—unusual values on sale tomorrow at.....

\$4.00

Johnston & Murphy

The Shoes for men who want the best—all lasts and leathers—at.....

\$10.00

THE SILVER JUBILEE SALE Ends Tomorrow at 6 O'Clock

and We Make an Urgent Appeal to All St. Louisans to Share in the Extraordinary Values Which Are to Be Obtained

The Anniversary Special for Men Is a Contribution from The House of Kuppenheimer



THIS foremost maker of Men's Clothes has co-operated with us in supplying the most extraordinary values for the Anniversary Sale. Distinctive Fall models, in clothes of the sort that particular men like, are here at the remarkably low figure of

\$25

Complete Lines of Kuppenheimer Clothes

—are in readiness. They are fresh and new—new not only because recently made, but because the style ideas are up to the minute.

They are invigorating and inspiring—adapted to the needs of the season and the spirit of the moment.

We emphasize the virtues of these clothes because of quality in material and tailoring, and distinctiveness of style.

Prices Are **\$25 to \$40**

Men will find the fullest value for their money in other makes of clothes, with all the new models, and prices ranging at **\$13.50 \$15 \$18 and \$20**

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)



Smokers

Will be interested in this Silver Jubilee Sale

MANY chances to effect radical savings on Cigars of well-known make, in our Cigar Shop.

The following specials for Saturday:

Imported Manila Cigars, large size; packed in boxes of 100 at \$3.25, or 8 for 25c.

Class Perfecto, 25 in humidors, at 95c; 6 for 25c.

John Ruskin, large size, in humidors, at 95c; 6 for 25c.

Garcia Grande, medium size, box of 50, \$3.00; 4 for 25c.

La Amito Chico Blunts, clear Havana; made in Tampa; box of 50 for \$2.25; each, 5c.

Muriet, medium size, box of 50 for \$3.00; 4 for 25c.

El Roi-Tan, medium size, box of 50, \$3.00; 4 for 25c.

Peter Hauptmann's Hand-made, box of 25 for 95c; 6 for 25c.

Special prices on all popular brands of Cigars if bought by the box. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Silver Jubilee Special Wrist Watches for Military Men

Special \$4.65 at



A RELIABLE Wrist Watch is almost indispensable to the officer and the enlisted man, and they are considered a necessary item in the soldier's equipment. They make a very appropriate gift.

We offer a lot of 500 Military Service Watches, with radium dots and hands. Each in box. With Kitchener strap and nickel crystal protector. The movement is reliable and guaranteed to keep time. This watch is a remarkable value at **\$4.65**.

(Main Floor.)

The Right Hats For Men of Every Type


HATS that are becoming—that have the snap and go to them that particular men like, and come in the wanted shades.

The Waldorf Hats at \$3.00—are unmatched values at the price. They are shape-retaining, made of fur felt and are silk trimmed. We show fifty new styles, in plain silk and Alaska finishes, in shades of green, gray, brown and black.

Stetson Hats, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00

Trimble Hats, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$7.50

Men's Caps, at \$1.00 and \$1.50



(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

"American Gentleman" Shoes at Anniversary Prices

JUST one day more for men to get their "American Gentleman" Shoes and save a substantial sum. Our entire stock is embraced in this Silver Jubilee offering, including all styles of leathers and all the popular lasts.

Men's Shoes Special, \$2.45

Serviceable footwear, in good styles, black and dull leathers. All sizes are to be found.



(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

"America" Roadster Bicycle

Jubilee Special, \$26.50

THIS Bicycle is equipped with the New Departure coaster, brake, mud guards, guaranteed Fisk nonskid tires, seamless steel tubing. One-piece Fauber hangers, extension, reversible handle bars, with motorcycle grips, rubber pedals, diamond twin roller chains. Double spiral spring saddle. Highly enameled and finished in beautiful color combinations. 20 and 22 in. frames. Guaranteed for one year.



(Second Floor Annex.)

See the Misses' Store Opening Announcement and Other News on Page 12

Silver Jubilee Specials in Neckwear

Hand-Embroidered Gimpes, good quality net, with large or small collars, all white, special at **\$1.50**

Jap Silk Scarfs, with rich floral and Japanese designs, all color combinations, fringe ends, special, **\$1.98**

Net Shoulder Scarfs, flesh color, with tassel ends, special **\$1.50**

Organdie Dress Sets, good quality organdie, in long Empress effect, finished with Val. lace, each, set, **75c**

(Main Floor.)

Silver Jubilee Specials in Gloves

Women's White Washable Gloves, of good quality doekin, pique sewn seams, and light weight, pair, **\$1.25**

Women's Kid Gloves, washable, in gray, tan, and ivory. Prix seam or pique sewn, pair, **\$1.25**

Women's Silk Gloves, heavy-weight Milanese, double tipped, slip-on style, with strap wrist and double tips—black, white and colors, heavily embroidered backs, pair, **65c**

(Main Floor.)

Silk Petticoats

Jubilee Special, **\$3.17**

Splendid taffeta silk, in solid colors, changeable and black—flounce in Van Dyke point effect, with hemstitching and two small plaited ruffles.

(Second Floor)

Sample Camisoles

Jubilee Special, **\$1.50**

Satin and crepe de chine—many different models—delicately trimmed with choice lace and touches of hand embroidery.

(Second Floor)

Fancy Corsets

Jubilee Special, **\$1.85**

Fall models of fancy pink striped coutil—low bust, long skirt, with elastic goret, fancy embroidery trimmed. Sizes 19 to 30.

(Second Floor)

Brassieres

Jubilee Special, **59c**

Many new styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, also pink brocade batiste Bust Confiners, in hook front and hook-back styles. Sizes 34 to 46.

(Second Floor)

Crepe de Chine Waists

Jubilee Special, **\$2.39**

Beautiful Waists of excellent quality crepe de chine and Georgette crepe, in flesh and white. All sizes 36 to 44.

(Square 15—Main Floor.)

Jubilee Specials in CANDIES

Bunte Diana Filled Confections, lb., **35c**

Bunte Hard Candies, assorted, lb., **27c**

Pure Cream Caramels, box, **25c**

Heavenly Hash, box, **19c**

Chocolate Dipped Peanuts, box, **25c**

(Main Floor.)

UNION SUITS

Jubilee Special, **79c**

Women's Fleece Cotton Union Suits, made with Dutch neck, in elbow sleeve style. Exceptional values. (Main Floor)

Silk Stockings

Jubilee Special, **65c**

Women's pure Thread Silk, in novelty designs, stripes and drop-stitch effects. Reinforced at vital points. Slightly irregular. (Main Floor)

Toilet Articles

Silver Jubilee Specials for Saturday

Bath Tablets, rose, lavender or almond cream (limit 4 cakes) at cake, **7c**

Elcaya Vanity Metal Boxes, with powder and puff, each, **5c**

Maryon's Witch Hazel Soap (limit 4 cakes) per cake, **7c**

(Main Floor.)



Size of the Styles Are Shown.

The Downstairs Store Announces an Important Sale of Girls' Sample Coats

at **\$7.98**

SATURDAY is a day planned for the girls of 6 to 14 in the Downstairs Store, and this offering of Coats merits prompt attention from the juveniles and the parents.

The Coats are in becoming styles, of plush, Bolivia, zibeline, Scotch plaids and corduroy, and they are smartly trimmed with fur and plush.

Many are lined throughout, and are trimmed with belts, pockets and buttons. Sizes are 6 to 14 years.

Serge and Corduroy Dresses at \$2.39

A number of clever styles in Wool Serge and Corduroy Dresses that are specially adapted for school wear. They came to us from a leading maker, and were secured at a price concession for the Anniversary Sale.

They are in shades of navy, red, brown and green—trimmed with organdie or Roman-stripe silk collars, tabs, buttons and piping. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Gingham and Chambray Dresses at 79c

The samples of a well-known maker were secured at a great discount. To these we have included a number of our own garments, making selection all that could be desired. There are such clever styles as **Goose Girl Dresses**, **Peter Thompson Effects**, **Mary Newton**, **Middy Dresses**.

And numerous others in pretty plaids, checks and striped patterns, as well as solid colors. Sizes from 6 to 14.

Downstairs Store.

"Emery" Silk Shirts

In the Silver Jubilee at **\$1.95 \$2.85 and \$3.35**

SHIRT-BUYING opportunities like these come only on such rare occasions as this Anniversary Sale has proven to be.

In the three lots above are Shirts of silk mixtures, fiber silks and tub silks—a wide variety of beautiful color combinations. Shirts with soft fold cuffs. Sizes 13½ to 17.

Silk Neckwear at 25c, 50c and \$1.00

Men will find in these lots open-end Silk Four-in-Hands in a large variety of striped and figured patterns, as well as novelty and staple designs. They are values specially prepared for the Anniversary Sale, and it's the wise fellows who lay in their Fall and Winter supply now.



(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Boys' Clothing in This Jubilee Sale

SATURDAY will be the great day for the boys in the Anniversary occasion, and hundreds of parents will conclude to get the boys' Fall and Winter outfits here, when such remarkable savings are to be made on clothes of sturdy character.

All-Wool Suits

With Extra Knickers, Special, **\$10.50**

These Suits bear the "Perfection label," which is fullest warranty of their quality. They are in smart models, in gray, brown, olive and blue mixtures. Both pairs of trousers are cut full and lined throughout, and all are hand finished. Sizes from 7 to 18.

Wash Suits

Very Special at **\$2.00**

Plain and fancy combinations, all fast colors. Sizes 2½ to 8 years.

A complete showing of Boys' and Children's Headwear, including these lines:

Cloth Hats at 98c to \$2.45

Plush Hats at 98c to \$3.95

Cloth Hats for older boys,

Boys' Suits

With Extra Knickers, Special, **\$7.95**

Natty new Norfolk Styles, and the distinct trench models that are so popular now. Suits are in pretty mixtures and in sizes from 6 to 18.

Boys' Norfolk Suits

Special at **\$4.95**

Suits that are made for an extra amount of service and have double seat and knee that insures long wear of even the sturdiest lads. They are gray and brown mixtures, in sizes 6 to 18.

Velour Hats, \$3.95 and \$4.95

Caps at 48c to \$1.48

\$1.48, \$1.85 and \$2.45

(Second Floor Annex.)

Athletic Shoes

Jubilee Special, **\$1.10**

Accumulation of Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls' Gymnasium, Track, Bowling, Hand Ball, Hike and Tennis shoes, in Oxford and Hal styles—leather and canvas uppers. Leather, rubber and elkskin soles. Broken sizes.

(Second Floor Annex.)

Boys' Shirts

Jubilee Special, **79c**

Extra quality percales, in new stripe patterns. Soft cuffs and some with extra soft collars to match. All sizes.

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Stix, Baer & Fuller

GRAND-LEADER

SIXTH-WASHINGTON-SEVENTH & LUCAS

Cedar Chests

Jubilee Special, **\$9.75**

Just 25 Cedar Chests of best Tennessee cedar. Some plain, others trimmed with burnished copper. 40 inches long, 18 inches wide and 17 inches high.

(Fourth Floor.)

Marquisette Curtains

Jubilee Special, **\$1.75 Pr.**

One hundred pairs of Marquisette Curtains, of good quality, with neat lace edge and insertion. 2½ yards long. During this sale, at the special price of **\$1.75**

(Fourth Floor.)

MRS. FANNY NIEDRINGHAUS MARRIED TO CUBAN, AUG. 15

Divorced From Dr. Ralph E. Niedringhaus, Who Voluntarily Gave Her \$58,000.

St. Louis friends have learned of the marriage, Aug. 15, of Mrs. Fanny Niedringhaus, of St. Louis, and John A. Lorente, of Havana, Cuba. The bride was the divorced wife of Dr. Ralph E. Niedringhaus. She is the daughter of Francis S.

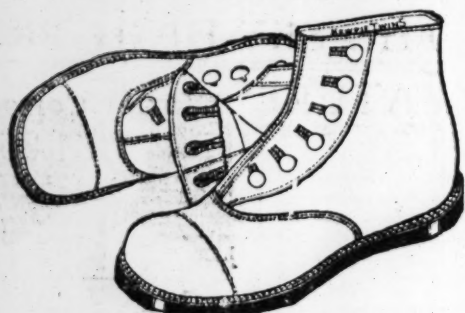
Higgins of 4434 Forest Park boulevard, a leather merchant. After she had obtained a divorce from Dr. Niedringhaus in May, 1914, he voluntarily gave her \$58,000, declaring she had been a faithful wife and a good mother.

The Lorentes are now on their honeymoon in Panama. They will live in Havana. The ceremony was performed at South-Orange, N. J.

THAT PARAMOUNT CIGAR
A revelation in mild Havana at 10 cents. Its aroma will make you like it. Try one today just for luck, and you'll know you're lucky if you do.

Brandt's

618 Washington Ave.



Kewpie Twins Shoes

Little boys and girls cannot keep bright and happy nor do well at school if shoes hurt their feet.

Kewpie Twins Shoes are made to fit—plenty of room for all the little toes, and no tacks or nails are used—perfectly smooth inside.

LITTLE TOTS', sizes 2 to 5:
Tan, Patent Leather, black kid, \$2.25.
CHILDREN'S, sizes 5½ to 8:
Brown Kid, White and Tan Bear, \$3.00.
Patent Leather, Black Kid, \$2.75.
CHILDREN'S, sizes 8½ to 11:
Brown Kid, White and Tan Bear, \$3.50.
Patent Leather, Black Kid, \$3.25.
Misses', sizes 12 to 2, \$3.50 and \$3.75.

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Are you looking for the Blue or Green Flannel Suits with belt allround? We have them—are you looking for the ever-useful Blue Serges? Here in abundance! Rightly priced

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We absolutely guarantee Gately's Easy Credit System to be the best plan of extended credit to all worthy, honest persons. Simply say "Charge It" and take 4 months' time to pay. 107 stores mean big buying power and less prices to you.



Mourning Apparel in New Modes

A complete mourning outfit can be selected in a very short time from the all-inclusive stock in our Mourning Shop.

Third Floor.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth

Bake Shop Specials for Saturday

Milk Bread, 12c
Cheese Cake, 10c
Mixed Cakes, the pound, 40c
All kinds of delicious bakery goods baked in our own ovens, including layer cakes, pound cakes, Spanish bun, etc.
First Floor.

Items of Interest

New Modes in Pekin Blue—Quite the smartest among the Wooltex Coats shown in our Misses' Shop are three distinctive models in Pekin Blue. The lines are perfect and the fabrics of the softest imported Belgian Silverstone Velour and Crystal Velour, having an attractive collar of Squirrel Seal or Mink Fur that crushes about the neck in a most delightfully comfortable manner. Quite much attention these Coats attracted when displayed in our window.

Misses' Shop—Third Floor.
The effect of the new Veils are altogether charming and most flattering. We are showing various patterns in Chenille dots and spray designs in very transparent mesh.

Veiling Shop—First Floor.
So convenient are the new School Bags of Cravenette, which are absolutely waterproof. Priced 50c to \$1.75. There is also the new Lunch Box of wicker.

Toy Shop—Second Floor.

Women's Underwear

Among the popular garments for this season are the fine ribbed Union Suits made with low neck, no sleeves and in knee or ankle length, also high neck and long-sleeve styles.

Regular size, \$1.25

Extra size, \$1.50

Knit Underwear Shop—Third Floor.

Velour Hats



The Banded Velour Hats that our Basement Shop is now showing are in the newest shapes and colors and are splendid for general wear. Much better qualities than you would expect to get at \$3.95.

We are also showing Black Velvet ready-to-wear Hats in a variety of new shapes, priced at \$2.45 to \$3.95.

Basement Shop.



Misses' Suits of Character

In a Very Comprehensive Sale Tomorrow

Every Suit is New—Not Shown Before—Displayed Tomorrow

For This Specially Planned Selling Event

\$29.75

\$35.00

\$39.50

The Newest Fall Ideas in Misses' Suits

Clever Designs—Smart Tailoring—Vandervoort Quality.

The Great Showing at These Low Prices Will Prevail for One Day—Tomorrow Saturday.

Serges, Velours, Gabardines, Poplins, Novelties

Plenty of the New Fall Brown Shades, Also Navy Blue, New Forest Green, Taupe, Beet Root, Pekin, Blue and Blacks.

It will be to your particular advantage to shop during the morning hours.

Many new models in exclusive styles will be shown at this time at prices ranging upward from \$45.00.

Misses' Shop—Third Floor.

Special Sale Tomorrow of Girls' Sample Hats

\$1.95 \$3.75 \$5.00

Mothers who come early enough tomorrow morning to secure hats for their little daughters from this sample line will be getting exceptional values—the best we have offered this season.

Velvet Hats in all shades, quaint pokes, small roll-brim close-fitting Hats and the effective shirred-brim Hats for girls of 2 to 10 years—all new and each would sell at far more than our sale price.

Becoming Hats to match any coat.

Juvenile Millinery Shop—Third Floor.



Men's New Fall Suits and Overcoats

for Fall and Winter Wear

\$15, \$20, \$25

The Suits

An unusually good selection of fine Worsteds, Tweeds, Cassimeres and Cheviots shown in our stock this season, will command the attention of the most discriminating men.

Such a wide diversity of styles to choose from—the man desiring a conservative model or the younger man who delights in wearing the effective, or even extreme line styles that the new Fall Suits show, will find it possible to secure an ideal suit for his particular requirements.

Several new, but conservative models in the form-fitting styles, have the buttons set rather high—giving the coat that new stream-line effect.

THE OVERCOATS that we are displaying are to be found in as wide an assortment as the suits—coats to please either the young man or the more conservative older man.

So many other new and decidedly distinctive fashioned Suits are to be found in our Men's Shop that you will have no trouble making a choice.

Many excellent Overcoats can be secured at \$15 and \$20.

Men's Clothing Shop—Second Floor.



For the Boy

Washington Cheviot Suits, \$8.50

In this suit the boy is assured of extreme satisfaction in both material and style—a pinch-back coat, three-piece belt, and slash pocket. The knickerbockers are cut especially full to meet the requirements of the growing boy. Sizes 9 to 17 years.

Blue Serge Norfolk Suits, \$5.95

These always-popular Blue Serge Suits are in the Norfolk style; coat is pinch-back style with patch pockets. Many mothers care to provide the boy with an extra pair of knickerbockers, thus securing twice the wear of a regular suit; extra knickerbockers to this suit are priced \$1.55. Sizes 8 to 15 years.

Boys' Fancy Mixture Norfolk Suits, for school and general wear; all good serviceable materials—come in sizes 7 to 17 years. This suit is priced \$3.95, or with two pair of knickerbockers, \$5.00.

Boys' School Overcoats, in fancy Scotch Cheviot Mixtures, medium and extra lengths—have plain and pinch-back coats with convertible collars. Come in sizes 8 to 18 years and are priced from \$9.75 to \$16.75.

The much-wanted MACKINAW COAT is shown in fancy checks and plaids—all very attractive colorings. Come in sizes 6 to 18 years and are priced \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

BOYS' RAINCOATS, in fancy Cravenette Cloths and plain black rubber; sizes 4 to 16 years—at two extraordinarily low prices, \$2.65 and \$4.90.

Sale of Sample Hats

at 50c Each

Sizes Up to 12 Years

We have just received a lot of sample Hats and same will be placed on sale in conjunction with various lines of odd and incomplete lots of Boys' fine Hats at the exceptionally low price of 50c each.

In this assortment are so many different styles that you are bound to find several to suit the needs of your boy.

Velvet, Plush, Chinchilla, Corduroy and numerous other desirable materials.

Boys' Blouses, in all the fancy striped and plain white Madras, with or without collar, also the Eton collars for the small boys. Sizes 5 to 15 years, and prices 65c to \$1.50.
Boys' Shirts of striped Madras, Percale, Oxford cloth and silk fiber, with attached or detached collar; have French cuffs. Sizes 12 to 14—priced from \$1.25 to \$3.75.
Boys' Store—Second Floor.

Boys' Caps, in blue serge and fancy mixtures; in all sizes, priced 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Terry Cloth Bathrobes, in plain colors and stripes; sizes 4 to 18 years. Priced \$2.00 to \$6.00.

Sweaters, in all colors, made with sailor collar, with slipover or V-shaped neck. Sizes 4 to 18 years—priced from \$3.50 to \$6.50.



TWO MEN HELD FOR MURDER IN GRANITE CITY CASE

One of Pair of Cement Workers
Said to Have Confessed in Kill-
ing of Abraham Schwartz.

MAN HELD TRIES SUICIDE

Yanks Disinfectant From Wall of
Cell and Drinks It When Told
of Alleged Confession.

A coroner's jury at Granite City last night held Charles Koob and Nathan Walston, cement workers, without bond for the grand jury on charges of having murdered Abraham Schwartz, a Granite City shoe merchant, whose home was at 1422 O'Fallon street, St. Louis, last Sunday morning.

This action followed testimony by Koob in which he repeated a confession he is alleged to have made of his part in the affair to his cousin, Fred Hall, of 2506 West Twentieth street, Granite City. The substance of this alleged confession was that both Koob and Walston held up and robbed Schwartz and that Walston later killed him.

Mumbled "Murder" in Sleep. Schwartz's body, almost stripped of clothing and containing several bullet holes, was found late Sunday in the Gabaret Slough, near Granite City. Walston was arrested as a suspect the following day. He denied any knowledge of the crime. After being confronted yesterday with the alleged confession of Koob, he wrenched a can of disinfectant from the wall of his cell and drank the contents. He was in a serious condition last night, but at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Granite City, where he was taken for treatment, it was said today he probably would recover.

Hall, Koob's cousin, yesterday stated to the police of Granite City that about midnight last Monday Koob came to his room at Willisville, Ill., where Hall was working, and got in bed with him. He declared Koob's sleep was disturbed and that he frequently mumbled "Murder," "Robbery" and "Revolver." Hall declared that next morning he asked Koob the meaning of this talk and was told substantially the following story:

Clothing Found in Shed. That after being paid off Saturday afternoon he and Walston got into a dice game at Brooklyn, Ill., and lost nearly all their wages. Walston was reluctant to go home to his wife and two children without any money and suggested that they hold up someone. Shortly after midnight they met Schwartz, whom both knew, at Twentieth and A streets in Granite City and robbed him of \$17.50, which they divided.

Koob declared that they then separated and that he saw Walston taking Schwartz toward the McKinley car line. The next day, Koob declared, Walston told him he had killed Schwartz because the latter

had recognized Walston and Koob when they robbed him. The police found a bundle of clothing in a shed in the rear of Walston's home and a witness at the coroner's inquest told of having seen Walston carry a bundle into the shed early Sunday.

The police have been unable to get any statement from Walston since he drank the poison.

Automobile accessories and where to buy them—see Post-Dispatch Automobile Want Ads.

GREEK MINISTER SAYS NATION WANTS DARDANELLES OPENED

Complier of White Book Showing German Machinations Tells of Interest in Serbia's Future. ATHENS, Aug. 15 (By mail).—M. Politis, Minister of Foreign Affairs, who is completing the Greek White Book, which will tell of the extent of German influence over the recent administration of King Constantine, received a staff correspondent of the Associated Press today. The Minister

spoke of the recent Balkan conference at Paris as highly satisfactory in its results. The Minister was asked if Greece had an interest in the issue of nationalities between Serbia and Austria. "As the ally and one of the nearest friends of Serbia, we naturally are interested in seeing her aspirations realized," said the Minister. "It is a noble aim that our Slav brothers have set before them, and we hope Serbia will emerge from this world conflict a new and greater Serbia, uniting its scattered Southern Slav

nationalities into one great Yugoslav State." "As Greece is the allied country lying nearest to Turkey, what is her attitude toward the Dardanelles and Constantinople?" the Minister was asked. "Above all," he said, "it is our desire to see the Dardanelles freed from its Turkish forts and its hindrance to natural world traffic, and to have it become a link in the world's commerce, the same as Suez, the Straits of Gibraltar, or the Panama Canal, linking the Atlantic and Pacific."

AUSTRIA IS SHORT OF FOOD

High Official Quoted as Saying Country Can't Hold Out This Winter. GENEVA, Sept. 14.—The Freie Zeitung of Berne publishes an article from a high Austrian official, who recently travelled through several sections of this country, in which the writer states that Austria-Hungary cannot hold out the coming winter, owing to economic reasons, as both soldiers and civilians will be starved. He gives several reasons, notably the almost complete destruction of

the crops in the richest regions of Hungary by the cold and the heavy rain, while 300,000 tons of Rumanian cereals could not be transported owing to lack of rolling stock, which

first of all, is utilized for military purposes. In the meantime, the necessities of life are mounting to extraordinary prices.

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Kugent's

Free Tickets For the celebration of the 103rd Anniversary of the Star-Spangled Banner, to be held at the Coliseum tonight—may be had for the asking at Patriotic Booth. (Main Floor.)

Elastic Topless Corsets
\$1.00
In pink only. Sizes 19 to 26.
(Fourth Floor.)

Phoenix Silk Hosiery
\$1.25
High spliced heels, soles and toes. Colors tan, putty, Palm Beach, Tuxedo tan and white; all sizes.
(Main Floor.)

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"Scandal," by Cosmo Hamilton.
"Beyond," by John Galsworthy.
"Sunny Slopes," by Ethel Houston.
A penny a day—no fee to join.
(Second Floor.)

Silk Camisoles
\$1.00
Creme de chine and satin; tailored and lace trimmed styles; sizes up to 44.
(Fourth Floor.)

Silverplated Dorine Boxes
50c
New styles with snap on top and finger chain. (Main Floor.)

NEW THINGS ARE CONSTANTLY BEING ADDED TO OUR LARGE AND DIVERSIFIED ASSORTMENTS OF FALL APPAREL FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

STUNNING FALL SUITS



For Women and Misses

\$24.50

Three of the styles are pictured. An assortment that well illustrates the dash and distinction that makes the tailored suit a success.

Materials of warmth and beauty—lines that are "different"—expert tailoring accomplishes just this in these extraordinary garments.

Numerous becoming styles.

Serge, velour, tricotine, broadcloth, Oxford, silvertone and other attractive mixtures in navy blue, African brown, taupe and black. Sizes for women and misses.

NEW FALL DRESSES

\$24.75

Serge, Satin, Taffeta and Silk combinations are the materials of these Dresses of true feminine charm. Dresses that depict the best of current styles—that foretell the mode of months to come. Surplice basque bodices and side-draped skirts, tunic overdresses, tailored satin frocks and dresses combined with white satin are a few of the pretty styles to be shown tomorrow in navy blue, taupe, tobacco brown and black.

(Second Floor.)

In the Girls' Shop—



Attractive Fall Coats

\$7.50 to \$12.50

Smart Coats for girls 6 to 16 years—In all the new Fall models, such as large collars that button up high, high-waisted effects, flaring skirts, fancy pockets and belts. Velour, beaverette and plush trimming. Materials of zibeline, velour, corduroy and mixtures.

Dresses for School

\$1.95 and \$2.95

Just received, new and novel washable School Dresses in beautiful plaids, stripes and plain colored ginghams. Excellent styles, high-waisted models and contrasting pipings and trimmings. All sizes.

Serviceable School Shoes



for Boys,

\$3 & \$5

Stylish looking, in patent, dull and tan leathers. Shoes that will give service—just the kind for school wear; all sizes.

(Third Floor.)

Girls' School Shoes

\$3.00 to \$4.50

Girls' Shoes for dress and school wear. Pretty styles in patent and dull leathers; button style. Mothers should bring their daughters down tomorrow and have their shoes fitted here.

(Fourth Floor.)

New Fall Neckwear



In Exquisite Colorings and Designs,

55c

Made of Cheney satins in large open end styles. Many bright patterns in conservative and large figures, in light or dark colorings. Neck wear that will hold its shape and give satisfactory service.

Men's Phoenix Silk Hose

Double toe, sole and heel—splendid wearing qualities; colors: gray, tan, white, black; brown; **55c**

Men's Fiber Silk Hose

Light weight, double toe, sole and heel; colors: black, and white; all sizes. **39c**
(Main Floor.)

Men's Negligee Shirts



(With extra collar to match)

\$2.00

Very smart, and one of the most popular novelties for the coming Fall season. Soft bosom, starched cuffs, striped and checked patterns; sizes 14 to 17.

Men's Negligee Shirts

A Shirt that is cut full and roomy; starched or soft cuffs; fine cord woven madras; sizes 14 to 18. **\$1.25**

Custom Tailored Negligee Shirts

Well made, of fast color percales and madras; 5-button coat style; soft or starched cuffs. Sizes 14 to 18. **\$1.65**
(Main Floor.)

For Tomorrow

A \$5.00 Sale of New Fall Millinery



Large flat sailor of silk velvet with cut design over combination of light silk—a most unusual hat in all new combinations.

\$5.00



Medium sized rolling brim sailor so much in vogue at present and suitable for the matron as well as younger women. Made of unusually fine quality velvet with novel fancy feather as trimming.

\$5.00



A very becoming small hat of fine silk velvet with edge of grosgrain ribbon forming a very fascinating soft effect around edge of brim.

\$5.00



An unusual hat of excellent quality Lyons velvet with black maline extending over edge; ribbon and flowers used for trimming, giving the entire hat a decidedly smart and stylish air.

\$5.00
(Second Floor.)

MEN! IN SPITE OF THE SKY-HIGH PRICES OF WOOLENS, WE FEATURE

Byron Brand
Registered
Clothes

At the Last Year's Price of... **\$17.50**

At \$17.50 you will receive not only a well-constructed suit, but one that is made of fine woollens, and designed by America's foremost tailors in a manner that makes the Byron Brand Clothes stand out at once as pre-eminent at this price.

Fine Worsteds, Tweeds, Cheviots, Cassimeres and the ever-popular Serges

Prominent amongst our large stocks are smart styles for young men, made up in semi-belted and full-belted models, with patch pockets and side slash-pockets. Also conservative models.

Fall and Winter Suits and Topcoats

You will quickly realize the savings to be had in purchasing one of these Suits or Topcoats at this low price.

Represented in this group are fine cheviots, cassimeres, tweeds and worsteds, either plain or fancy. Models to suit every man's taste of dress; all sizes.

Men's Trousers

Especially desirable for dress wear—Blue and gray serges, wool worsteds, fancy mixtures and cheviots. Strongly sewed seams and carefully made for long wear. All sizes. **\$3.95**



(Third Floor.)

Boys' "Elk Jr." Suits

With 2 Pair Knickers

\$8.95

The fabrics in these Suits, the linings and trimmings, the tailoring are of the same quality that goes into the making of higher-priced clothes.

The materials are fine Scotch tweed in checks and stripes. Coats made new Norfolk models. Two knickers cut full and roomy and lined throughout. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Boys' Suits

(1 and 2 Pairs of Trousers)

\$7.95

Fancy mixtures, in the new Fall colorings. Made new Norfolk models. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

"Sampeck" Suits

(With 2 Pairs of Knickers)

\$12.50

New Norfolk models; homespun, cheviots and tweeds. New Fall colorings. Sizes 8 to 15 years.



(Third Floor.)

Men's Fall Shoes



\$6 & \$7

A very comprehensive showing of the best accepted standards in Men's Shoes for Fall and Winter wear. Made to our special orders and rigid specifications on which we insisted, so you are thus insured the maximum amount of comfort and service.

The popular English last is evident, together with the straight last, medium broad toe designed for comfort. You will find gunmetal calf, kid and tan calf leathers. All sizes.

(Third Floor.)

Men! Now is the Time to Purchase Your New Fall Hat



At the Very Low Price of **\$1.85**

At this price we feature Rex Brand and samples of Von Gal and Hawes Hats—a truly remarkable collection of styles. Attractive Felt Hats for Fall, showing every style tendency. Over 25 styles to select from. In the following shades of black, brown, pearl, tan and green. All sizes.

John P. Stetson Hats

\$4 and \$5

A Large Variety of New Fall Styles.

(Main Floor.)

THE ST. LOUIS JEWELERS
Hess & Culbertson
SEVENTH & ST. CHARLES



Wedding Rings for Gentlemen

A novel idea in the way of a Wedding Ring for gentlemen is illustrated above. It consists of two rings—a plain gold band and a signet effect.

The plain band, of sentimental associations, worn with the signet part appears as a single gold seal ring of unique design.

In 14-karat gold, engraved with initial or monogram and inscription, these Rings are

\$22.00

Plain Gold Wedding Rings, **\$3.50 to \$10**

Sapphires

---for September

The birthday gift of Jewelry for this month should carry the sapphire—the birthstone for the September born.

The ring, scarfpin, brooch or any piece you select from our sapphire-set gold and platinum jewelry cannot but please.

September Birthmonth Rings, **\$1.50 and up**
Genuine Sapphire Rings, **\$5 to \$100**

Racehorses Lost on Minnehaha.—SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—John H. Rosseter, vice president and general manager of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., owned the nine racehorses reported lost when the Atlantic transport liner Minnehaha was submarine off the coast of Ireland. Rosseter announced today he had received confirmation of the loss. He said he recently refused an offer of \$15,000 for one of the horses.

Open Till 7 P.M. Saturday

\$2 Kid Gloves
Women's 2-clasp black kid gloves; black, white, with contrast; fine stitching; all sizes pair.

\$1.69

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Penny & Gentry
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Boys' Caps
In all the latest styles; special for Saturday's selling only at

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We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

\$12.50 New Silk Dresses

\$8.98 Special Saturday Only **\$8.98**



Delightful new Fall styles in Women's and Misses' Dresses of taffeta silk, satin and poplin, including the new straightline effects, pleated and tunic styles, featuring the new silk embroideries. Georgette sleeves, various shaped collars, etc. Come in the very latest shades and all sizes.

\$22.50 Fall Suits
Smart tailored or dressy Suits that are the pick of the New York market. Made of burella, poplin, velour and serge, in the season's best shades. Come in all regular sizes.

\$15.48

Girls' \$4 Serge Dresses
An attractive style, with loose belt and pockets, made of guaranteed all-wool serge, in navy, brown, green and wine; sizes 6 to 14 years, special at.....

\$2.98

Fall Opening Sale of MILLINERY

Every Trimmed Hat, Untrimmed Hat and Trimming Novelty in this sale Saturday is absolutely new, correct and fashionable. On display Saturday.

THE EXTREME POINT in Value and Style in Trimmed Hats

The popular new soft effects, such as Sailors, Turbans, Side Turns, Drooping Mushrooms and Rolled Sailors with soft draped crowns, tan crowns, soft shirred and ruffled brims; made of Lyons Velvet, Hatters' Plush, Panné and smart combinations effectively trimmed; all colors and black, Opening Sale price **\$5 and \$2.95**

Copies of Latest Paris Pattern Hats
Made of finest quality Lyons and panne velvets, hatters' plush, etc. Large and small Hats for every dress requirement. Classic and wonderful values. For this Opening **\$6.50 and \$8.50**

Hatter's Plush Banded Sailors
Crowns of hat, plush with silk mat, some in all-hat, some in half-hat, some in soft effects, mushroom, band and bow; extremely smart; all colors, etc.

\$2.95 and \$3.95

Shirred Velvet Hats
Cushion, shirred and ruffled brims, soft crowns, in all colors, mushrooms and other styles; in black, purple, etc.

\$1.49 and \$1.98

Matrons' Hats
Proper styles in draped Turbans, Side Turns and Toggles of fine velvets, newest trimmings.

\$2.95 and \$3.95

Tams
Correct, graceful; some trimmed with silk, etc.

95c & \$1.95

Children's Hats
Dressy, serviceable styles; Poppy brims, tams, pokes, etc.; splendid selection.

98c & \$1.98

Silk Velvet Shapes
Styles in soft effects, mushroom, band and bow; all colors, etc.

\$1.98

You Save 1/2 On Fall Shoes Here

Men's \$3.50 and \$4 New Fall Shoes..... **\$2.45**

1800 pairs of men's Goodyear welt sewn button and lace shoes; medium, high and English toes, sizes 6 to 11, Saturday, **\$2.45**

Boys' Durable Calfskin Shoes for school wear, **\$1.69** Button style. At \$1.98 and....

Boys' Scout Shoes; elk and leather soles; \$2.00 value; Saturday **\$1.59**

Misses' and Children's Patent and Dull Shoes for school wear **\$1.69** at \$1.95 and....

Child's \$1.75 Patent and Dull Button Shoes, kid or cloth tops, at..... **\$1.39**

Women's \$3.50 and \$4 New Fall Shoes..... **\$2.48**

Hundreds of pairs of Women's new Fall Shoes in all the newest patterns. Patent and dull leather. Sizes to fit all at **\$2.48**

Boys' Suits
A grand offering of Boys' Wool Suits in tweeds, chevrons and mixtures. Coats are pinch-back style; trousers pegtop. Sizes 6 to 16 years. While they last, **\$2.98**

Boys' heavy Suits, with two pairs lined pants..... **\$4.98**

Men's Pants
In cassimere finish or jeans; dark colors; a good work pants; special at \$1.98 and..... **\$1.50**

Men's \$1.50 Shirts
We've just received a special lot of fine high-grade shirts with laundered cuffs attached, made of Percale and Madras, in nobby dressy patterns; also Flannel and Blue Chambray shirts in the lot; all at

98c

Sweaters
Men's Sweater Coats, splendid value for Saturday, \$2.98, \$1.98 and..... **\$1**

Neckwear
Men's Neckwear in the new Fall styles of all colors; special..... **35c**

Union Suits
Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits, well made, \$1.50 value..... **98c**

ASSERTS WOMAN DIRECTED LOOTING OF KING ESTATE

District Attorney Wants Mrs. Melvin, Sister of Widow, to Tell of Persons Litter Knew.

SEIZED PAPERS EVIDENCE

Man Co-operated With Unnamed Woman, New York Official Declares.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—A woman—daring, unscrupulous, determined—was the "master mind" which directed the looting of the \$2,000,000 estate of Mrs. Maude A. King, District Attorney Swann said last night. Co-operating with her was the controlled and weaker mind of a man. These two conclusions, the District Attorney said, are supported by the evidence of the seized documents; by the examination of more than forty witnesses; and by a mass of information collected by New York authorities in their investigation into circumstances relative to the shooting of the wealthy widow just outside Concord, N. Y., Aug. 28.

Swann did not name the woman of the "master mind" nor the man who assisted her. Both, the District Attorney asserted, were members of the large group of persons, who derived financial gain from their association with Mrs. King.

"The seizure of that trunkful of papers in the apartment of Gaston B. Means, her confidential agent," said Swann, "will prove, in my opinion, the decisive step in bringing to punishment those guilty of the minor crime of looting the estate and eventually those responsible for Mrs. King's death. Most of them are her personal papers showing with whom she dealt and how she was dealt by. They afford, I believe, evidence of preparation and motive for the greater crime."

Sends Out Call for Her Sister. Proof of the growing importance placed by the District Attorney's office in the part this unnamed woman may have played in crimes against Mrs. King is found in the fact that yesterday Assistant District Attorney Dooling began to make urgent efforts to get Mrs. Mary Melvin, only sister of the dead widow, to come to New York.

Because Mrs. Melvin lived with her sister for years preceding the latter's death, Dooling and his assistants believe that she can throw valuable light upon the various persons who in the last two years became intimate with Mrs. King. They hope that she will come to New York to aid them in finding those who wrought against Mrs. King. With her assistance the District Attorney's office believes it can make quick progress.

Entrance of a woman as a prime factor in the case came as no surprise to persons who have been intimately in touch with the Kings. But these persons disagree with District Attorney Swann in the opinion that here was the master mind. They assert the man dominated the woman.

A telegram, sent as mysteriously as was the message which resulted in the conviction of Dr. Waite for murder, has been sent in this case. It developed yesterday.

On the night of Mrs. King's death somebody filed this message: "Mrs. King, 1135 Park avenue, died Concord; very peculiar circumstances. Investigate."

Dooling declined to say last night where this telegram was filed, or who received it. "It came to a friend of Mrs. King," was all he would say.

But the Post-Dispatch has reason for saying the message was filed in Concord on Aug. 29; was addressed to the District Attorney, New York City, and was signed with a fictitious name. The telegram was in a man's handwriting.

The New York authorities believe that if they establish the identity of the sender they will be near an end of the death mystery.

King, which Means is supposed to have discovered, had three signatures, that of King, maker of the will, now dead; that of Byron L. Smith as witness, now dead; and that of Mrs. Mary Melvin as witness. Mrs. Melvin is now a guest at the home of the Means in Concord.

"We have found that on July 29, 1917, Gaston Means rented a safety deposit box in Chicago. We know where it is. We have wired the Chicago authorities and we believe we will shortly be in possession of the 'second' will of King—that will which Gaston says he discovered and upon proof of the validity of which he was to receive \$950,000.

"We have written evidence of how he managed to obtain photographic copies of the Smith and King wills in Chicago. We have documentary evidence that between July 1 and 22, 1917, Gaston Means consulted three



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handwriting experts in Chicago and one in St. Louis; that he paid all of them well and gave one \$500. Ordered Mail Sent to Him. "We have a letter written in Gaston's own handwriting in July, 1917, in which he says: 'Everything is O

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Natural Gray Wool, winter weight.....	per garment	\$1.50
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Natural Gray Wool, light weight.....	per garment	1.50
Natural Gray Wool, light weight.....	per garment	2.00
Natural Gray Wool, light weight.....	per garment	2.50
Natural Gray Australian Lamb's Wool, light weight.....	per garment	2.25
Natural Gray Australian Lamb's Wool, winter weight.....	per garment	2.75

FOR SALE BY LEADING DEALERS
Write for booklet—sample cuttings. Yours for the asking.
DEPT. 12
Glastenbury Knitting Company, Glastenbury, Conn.

Saturday Garland's Tomorrow

Sensational Blouse Announcement

\$5 and \$6 New Georgette and Silk Blouses
\$3.85



The manufacturer wanted to make a quick turn of his surplus stock, all new Fall styles knowning, too, that he could not duplicate the materials at anything near the price he owned this lot of 1000. We had to take the entire stock and as we look at them now, in the cases we wish there had been 2000.

All new, they are irresistible in their fresh daintiness. Sheer and silky—they hardly need the fine laces and smart embroidery and deft hemstitching and pin tucking to be assured of a welcome in any wardrobe.

Dainty flesh, white and suit shades, with convertible collars or the big flat sailor styles; some with frills are exceptionally attractive. Sizes to 46 bust.

200 samples included, in all colors, but in 36 size only.



Girls' Tub Dresses

An Extraordinary Offering

We just received and are now unpacking 300 Children's Wash Dresses, from a manufacturer who clored them out to our buyer, now in New York, at a reduction of one-third from regular prices. Here is the way we're going to dispose of them.

\$1.25, \$1.50 & \$1.75 Dresses
\$1.00

Materials are gingham, chambray, madras, cotton serge and crash. They are in stripes, plaids and solid colors, in designs of pretty girlish styles and combinations of stripes and plaids, with solid colors. Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14. Very special at \$1.00.

Girls' and Juniors' Coats

In our big junior and children's department on the second floor one of the most complete assortments of Children's Coats to be found awaits your inspection. Saturday we feature a special lot of stylish Coats at a low price. Materials are Egyptian plush, burellas, Pompon, wool velours and chinchilla. High waisted, belted and many other girlish styles; plenty with large fur collars. Sizes 6 to 16. Two as pictured. Special, Saturday (Second Floor),

\$15.00

Serge Dresses for Juniors
A specially attractive line of Serge Dresses for the junior and growing girl, **\$10.90 to \$25**

New Skirts

WOOL POPLIN SKIRTS, in navy and black, also navy and black serge, black taffeta silk and striped gabardine; in several smart styles. Special Saturday..... **\$4.98**

NOVELTY SPORT SKIRTS, of gabardine, golf cloth, flannel and velour. A good assortment of styles. Special Saturday..... **\$10.00**

THOMAS W. GARLAND 409-11-13 Broadway

New Coats

Misses' and Women's **\$25**

Coats that are stylish and youthful. Fur-trimmed, velour and gunny-berd and burella. Rich Plush Coats, mixtures in over two dozen styles; all sizes.

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The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

Lumber Shortage Feared in North.
DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 14.—Northern lumbermen forecast a serious labor shortage in the woods this fall and next winter, and it is feared that the cutting of logs will be greatly handicapped for lack of men. Fewer men are available at this time than for many years.

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OPEN SATURDAYS UNTIL 9 P.M.

**ASSERTS WOMAN
DIRECTED LOOTING
OF KING ESTATE**

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Here, but there are details for the other side to have to work out now and I don't want them to come in contact with any of us while they are doing this.

"We have documentary evidence that on July 15 Gaston gave written instructions, in his own hand, to send all letters, telegrams, mail of any description that might be delivered at 155 Park avenue for Mrs. King or Mrs. Mehl to him only."

Dooling yesterday questioned a man and a woman who were present at a party given Dec. 31, 1915, in the apartment at 155 Park avenue. He said they told him in detail of Gaston's remarks about the "mistake" Beattie made when he killed his wife in Richmond, Va., several years ago.

"Both witnesses told me," said Dooling, "that Gaston said Beattie should have taken her off in a lonely wood and shot her. They said Means was 'feeling his oats' that night, after a dinner at the Waldorf and jumped up and proposed the toast, 'The Kaiser.'"

"Both said there was something of a rumpus after that. Guests objected to the toast, and one woman sprang up, waved her glass and shouted: 'Down with the Kaiser! Up with the President!'"

One New York bank informed the District Attorney's office yesterday that Gaston Means, in opening an account with it in October, 1916, said he was doing so as agent for the German Government.

Mrs. King's income at the time she met Means, Dooling said, was about \$60,000 a year.

The grand jury proceedings yesterday were brief. Afton Means was a witness and then was subpoenaed to testify again Monday.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 14.—Mrs. Maude King, who met a mysterious death near here on Aug. 23, had a collection of jewelry which included three score or more diamonds, according to a list furnished by her former business manager, Gaston B. Means, to Phil C. McDuffie, counsel for Mrs. Anna L. Robinson, mother of Mrs. King, to be checked over.

Means expressed complete willingness to account for all Mrs. King's affairs and presented a number of papers, but McDuffie said these were not relevant to his search. He explained that other papers of his bearing on the affairs of Mrs. King were not now in his possession, but he had asked the solicitor of this district to obtain them for him.

With them, he said, he would be able to account for every nickel of Mrs. King's money.

Means was quoted today by McDuffie as saying, in reply to a question as to where Mrs. King secured current funds:

"I gave her the money she wanted. Under our arrangement I was to handle her money for her. I paid all the bills, including all my expenses and now have approximately \$50,000 to \$60,000."

McDuffie asked that this money be turned over to some trust company for the legal representative of Mrs. King's estate. Means declined, under the advice of his father, W. C. Means, who is a lawyer. He readily agreed, however, to so turn over the property which he has belonging to Mrs. Robinson, provided an authorized person would receipt for it.

THAT PARAMOUNT CIGAR.

It possesses resistless appeal to lovers of high-grade cigars. Broad-leaf wrapper, and the filler will tell you the story of its birth in Cuba. Ten cents. Don't measure its quality by its price. It's worth more—ADV.

SHIPS IN COMMISSION TREBLE IN SIX MONTHS, DANIELS SAYS

Credits President With Giving Initial Impetus to Movement Resulting in Great Naval Expansion.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Sept. 14.—The remarkable development of the navy in the last year was described by Secretary Daniels in an address at the Naval Academy today to the graduates of the Naval Reserve. He credited President Wilson with giving the initial impetus to the movement that has resulted in a great expansion of the service.

The graduates of 174 in number, are members of the corps of reserve naval officers who have just completed a three months' intensive course of instruction to fit them for duty aboard ship or on shore.

"The impulse that has made possible our rapidly expanding navy," declared Daniels, "came from a speech made by President Wilson in St. Louis on the third day of February, 1916, when he declared 'there is no other navy in the world that has to cover so great an area of defense as the American navy and it ought in my judgment to be incomparably the most adequate navy in the world.'"

"I am not publishing a military secret when I say that there are three times as many ships in commission today as there were six months ago, and that ships and more ships from enlarged and ever-enlarging shipyards are coming to afford a place on naval craft to the thousands of patriotic young men who have crowded in the navy since the call."

Falladium Bank, Morgan, west of Grand Opens tonight, Military Band.

Will Teach War Issues in N. Y. ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 14.—A campaign of education on the issues of the war is to be conducted throughout New York state from Sept. 17 to 22. "I believe a State-wide campaign of education dealing with all the questions at issue will have a beneficial effect," the Governor said. "At these meetings economic and military leagues of the nation will be represented by speakers representing the Red Cross, the Liberty Loan Committee and other branches of our State and national patriotic bodies."

Post-Dispatch Want Ads find prompt-paying tenants.

A LUCKY STRIKE

The Wener, Blesch, Cooke Co., manufacturers of the W. B. C. Clothes (708 Broadway, New York City) retired from business and we consider it a very lucky strike to have secured their entire stock of over 5000 fine quality wool suits at a terrible sacrifice. This remarkable purchase enables us to offer you, right at the very beginning of the new Fall season, Men's and Young Men's Suits at slightly more than 1/2 their actual value. We can't impress on you too strongly, the money-saving opportunities this sale affords. Come tomorrow and take advantage of the many bargains quoted below.

Here's the Biggest Value-Giving News St. Louis Has Heard in Many Days

Over 5000 New Fall Suits

\$15 & \$18 Values ON SALE at \$10

The Patterns—range from beautiful shades of grays to the deepest blues and browns, and include pencil stripes, regimental stripes, Piccadilly mixtures and the popular tobacco browns. In fact most any patterns you desire at the sensational price of **\$10**

The Fabrics—consist of handsome wool cassimeres, heavy Scotch, classy homespuns, pretty worsteds, beautiful velours and staple blue serges—fabrics that are usually found in garments selling at \$20—but you can take your choice here at **\$10**

The Styles—will please the most particular man or young man—no matter what you prefer—snappy pinch-backs, popular belters or the conservative plain back—you are almost certain to find it in just the pattern to suit your taste—on sale at **\$10**

Other Big Values in New Fall Suits

Men's and Young Men's FALL SUITS	Men's and Young Men's FALL SUITS	Men's and Young Men's FALL SUITS	Men's and Young Men's FALL SUITS	Men's and Young Men's FALL SUITS
—\$12 Values—	—\$20 Values—	—\$25 Values—	—\$30 Values—	—\$35 Values—
\$7.50	\$14.75	\$17.50	\$19.50	\$21.50

Extreme Values in Men's & Young Men's New Fall Pants

Men's \$4 Pants NEW FALL PATTERNS	Men's \$2.00 New Fall Pants	Men's \$3.00 New Fall Pants	Men's \$5.00 New Fall Pants	Men's \$6.00 New Fall Pants	Men's \$7.50 New Fall Pants	Men's \$9.00 New Fall Pants	Men's \$10.50 New Fall Pants
\$2.45	\$1.35	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$3.85	\$4.85	\$5.95	\$6.95

Boys' \$4.50 New Fall Suits **\$2.95**

Boys' \$4.00 Juvenile Suits **\$2.33**

Boys' \$6.00 New Fall Suits **\$3.95**

Boys' \$7.50 New Fall Suits **\$4.95**

Boys' \$9.00 New Fall Suits **\$5.95**

Boys' \$10.50 New Fall Suits **\$6.95**

Boys' \$4.50 Juvenile Suits **\$2.95**

Boys' \$6 Juvenile Suits **\$3.95**

Boys' \$7.50 Juvenile Suits **\$4.95**

Boys' \$3 Excellent Rainy-Day Outfits **\$1.95**

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Gunmetal button, genuine oak leather soles.
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LACE OR CONGRESS
Genuine Vici Kid or Calfti Welt-Sewed Soles! extra wide ball giving immediate relief to sore and aching feet. \$5.00 value at this market. Sizes 8 to 12. Our special price, **\$4.50**

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LACE OR CONGRESS
Gunmetal or kid, plain toe, hand-sewed welts, extra wide ball, instant relief to tired, aching or tender feet. **\$3.50**

"Elk Sole Shoes"
For Men **\$1.25** For Boys **\$1.25**
EXTRA SPECIAL! Little gents' black waterproof sole scout shoes, 9 to 13 1/2, only.

Men's Heavy Work Shoes
Extra Box calf, army last, 2 full soles, waterproofed... **\$5.00**
\$4.00 VALUE, tan or black chrome elk, waterproofed soles... **\$3.50**
\$3.50 VALUE, black chrome elk, 1/2 double oak soles... **\$3.00**
\$3.00 VALUE, black chrome elk, oak soles... **\$2.50**

HUNTING FOR BLONDE ESKIMOS

Missionaries' Boat Blown Up and It Takes Them a Year to Go 25 Miles. REGINA, Sask., Sept. 14.—Rudolph Manderson, chief of the southern party of the Stefansson Arctic expedition, has received a letter from the Rev. H. Gilling Emanuel of Saskatoon, who for the last three years has been trying to reach the so-called blonde Eskimos. The little boat in which three

missionaries comprising the party were traveling was blown up by an explosion last spring and they lost the greater part of their supplies. In a year's time the party had succeeded in traveling only 25 miles along the coast, so great were the difficulties experienced.

Detroit-Toledo Excursions. The Wabash has canceled its excursions to these points this week account of military movements.—ADV.

CABARET GIRL HELD FOR KILLING DOCTOR

Ruby Dean, Divorced Wife of St. Louisian, Testifies at Chicago Shooting Was Accident.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Ruby Dean, cabaret performer, divorced wife of a St. Louis man, smiled yesterday when a coroner's jury returned a verdict holding her to the Criminal Court for the murder of Dr. Leon H. Quitman, a veterinary surgeon, who was shot in her rooms in the Leasing apartments the night of Sept. 8. She told her own story of the events leading up to the shooting, which she maintained was accidental, despite a statement made by Dr. Quitman in the presence of three witnesses that "She said she would kill me and she shot me."

William Schelke, Dr. Quitman's assistant, testified that the doctor and Miss Dean had spent three days at Fox Lake preceding the shooting. "When he got back he asked me if his wife suspected anything," said the witness. "I told him that she did, and advised him to go home and make a clean breast of it, that she would forgive him. But he said he had an appointment with Miss Dean."

Schelke waited near the Leasing apartments, but instead of the doctor Miss Dean came out about an hour later. She was very much excited and ran down the street crying. "I must get a doctor! He's been shot! It was an accident!"

The girl on the stand told how she and Quitman had been soulmates. "And then I found out he was a married man," she said. "But I thought he was estranged from the wife. A performer at the cabaret had introduced us and hinted at something like that."

New Security League Director.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Dr. Robert McElroy of Princeton University has accepted a position as additional director of the National Security League. Dr. McElroy, who succeeded Woodrow Wilson as the head of the department of politics and history at Princeton, has received a year's leave of absence from the university.

PREMIER DECLARES HUNGARY IS READY FOR PEACE

"Brute Force of Arms in International Affairs Must Be Replaced by Right."

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14.—Dr. Alexander Wekerle, Hungarian Premier, expounded the Government's program at a meeting of the Hungarian chamber Tuesday, says a Budapest dispatch. The Premier, in his exposition, said he advocated the same principles regarding the suffrage as did his immediate predecessor, adding that if it proved impossible to carry out electoral reform with the present chamber, the Government would order new elections. "The foundation stones of our foreign policy," continued Dr. Wekerle, "are our allegiance to our allies and co-operation with them in all respects. We are united not only in the defensive war which was thrust upon us, but also as to its final aim, namely, the harmonious, joint conclusion of a suitable lasting peace. "We were first openly to express our entire readiness to conclude such a peace. This readiness of ours was solemnly confirmed by the peace resolution of the German Reichstag, which was made in agreement with the Imperial Government, as well as by the official statement which our Foreign Minister made public July 17. We even gave a broad outline of the conditions of an understanding by declaring that our defensive war is not aimed at any conquest whatever, that we oppose an economic war between the nations and that we are striving for a suitable, lasting peace which will not be detrimental to our interests, and to avoid the recurrence of war. We even consider it desirable that brute force of arms in international affairs should be replaced by a moral empire of right."

St. Louis Lunchroom. If some day before ordering lunch you inspect our kitchen, we feel that you will enjoy your meal even more than usual. Second Floor Kinloch Bldg., 10th and Locust.—ADV.

Congressman's Brother Elopes. Frank Rodenberg, 403 Virginia avenue, brother of Congressman Rodenberg of Illinois, eloped last Friday with Miss Lulu Koch of 5031 Page avenue and was married while his mother was celebrating her eightieth birthday. The wedding became known to the friends of the couple today. Rodenberg is 45 and the bride 38.

CREWS IN LIFE BOATS SHELLED

1-Boats Fire on Men After Sinking Their Ships.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—Two cases of German submarines firing on the crews of sunken vessels after they had taken to the boats have been made public. A submarine sank the schooner Jane Williams of Arklow, off the coast of Cornwall, Monday, by shell fire. The gun then was

turned on a boat containing the crew of six of whom three were killed and the remainder badly wounded. On the following day the schooner William of Dublin was sunk by a submarine. The open boat in which the crew left the vessel was shelled with shrapnel, but only one man was wounded.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

Men's Fall Shoes



Splendid variety of excellent values here.

YOU can't go wrong if you wear Swope Shoes this Fall. Quality has been rigidly maintained—styles are just as select as in seasons past—the variety is seemingly limitless.

The prices do not begin to reflect the advances justified by the present leather market.

Illustrating a splendid style of black calf or "Cordo" (dark brown) at \$6.50: Full assortments of sterling values, \$5 up.

Do not waste—let Swope repair your shoes.

Swope
Shoe Co.
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Store Hours:
8:30 to 5:30

Open Saturday
Until 6 P. M.

Navy Wants Only Skilled Men.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Except for skilled mechanics, no more recruits will be accepted by the navy

for probably three months. Secretary Daniels said today the navy personnel now was well above 200,000, including reserves.

This Store Is Downtown Headquarters for

Gordon Auto Casings

WITH EACH GORDON CASING you buy here goes a 5000 mile adjustment guarantee. Gordon tires are giving satisfaction to thousands of users. They are the choice of experienced motorists everywhere.

When you buy tires think of "Gordons" and think of this store as downtown distributors:

Size	Ribbed	Non-Skid
30x3	\$13.03	\$14.49
30x3 1/2	\$17.43	\$18.43
32x3 1/2	\$20.47	\$21.50
32x4	\$27.00	\$29.35
32x4 1/2	\$28.93	\$30.83
34x4	\$29.64	\$31.50
35x4 1/2	\$41.13	\$43.70
36x4 1/2	\$41.75	\$44.36
37x5	\$51.10	\$55.05

FREE tire service to any part of St. Louis and St. Louis County on Gordon and Mohawk tires.

Inner Tubes, "Seconds"

High-grade Tubes, slightly imperfect but guaranteed serviceable.

28x3 Gray	\$1.80
30x3 Gray	\$1.98
32x3 1/2 Gray	\$2.50
31x4 Red	\$2.09
32x4 Gray	\$2.95
33x4 Gray	\$3.05
34x4 Red	\$3.20
35x4 1/2 Gray	\$3.65

Other Auto Accessory "Specials" Saturday

Havoline Oil, light, medium or heavy, 5-gal. can, \$2.19
Double Arm Shock Absorbers, Model T Fords, set of four, \$2.98
Charbrite Body Polish, 1/2 gal. can, \$1.98
Tire-Saving Jacks, for cars up to 3000 lbs., set of 4, \$3.05
Havoline Motor Grease, 5-lb. pail, \$4.80

Famous and Barre
Entire Block: Olive, Locust, Sixth and Seventh
We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Fall Books for \$2.00 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.



Hutcheson's
(Century Shoe Co.)

Edwin Clapp Store

712-714 Olive St.—Republic Bldg.

Opens Monday, October 1st

REMOVAL SALE

now in progress at old location

LATEST FALL STYLES
AT REDUCED PRICES

Hutcheson's

916 Olive Street Until Oct. 1

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention.

1890—Schmitz & Shroder—1917

Lots of Style and Double Wear in These

Boys' Two-Pants Suits

The kind that have made this the most popular Boys' Department in all St. Louis!!

\$3.85 \$5.00 \$6.75

WE want all parents to see the unusual values we offer at these popular prices—here are good styles, good fabrics, good tailoring—the coats are in belted Norfolk models and there are TWO pairs of full lined knickers with each suit—all sizes to fit boys from 6 to 17.

Finer Lines at \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50
Headquarters for Stout Boys' Suits

Boys' Novelty Suits

CHIC styles for Fall wear—exclusive novelty effects in serges, Shepherd checks, corduroys and velvets—all sizes for the little chaps from 2 1/2 to 8—at \$6.85, \$9.95, \$4.95 and a fine lot at \$3.95

New Military Effects in

Young Men's Fall Suits

\$10 \$15 \$20

NEVER were young men's styles so attractive as they are this season—the new military effects are here in great assortment—plenty of good conservative designs are also shown—the fabrics are bright, colorful and have lots of pep—just the suits that will be favored by the High School and College fellows as well as those in business and professional lines.



Fall Hats—Ready

AN interesting display of everything that is new and classy in Men's Headwear. The silk finish and rough mixtures are particularly attractive. It's easy to select just the style that is most becoming from this complete showing.

Great Variety at \$2.00 and \$3.00
Stetson's—at \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00

(The New Manhattan Shirts)
Are ready for your inspection, and you'll find them finer than ever.

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Open
Saturdays
Until
9 P. M.

\$6.50 Wool Blankets

100 pair fine quality Lamb's wool Blankets (70x80 size); white, pink and blue and yellow border \$4.95
bound moire edge. \$4.95
\$3.75 Wool Knap Blankets. \$2.59

WE ARE PREPARED—and this applies particularly to Ready-to-Wear merchandise, which will be featured Saturday. Step in tomorrow and closely inspect the wonderful new Fall stocks—note the prices and compare with other stores—THEN you will begin to realize how much better you can do at The Lindell.

Silk and Georgette Blouses

Most Charming Styles of the Season—Popular Prices



\$2.75 & \$4.90

A new standard of style and value will be found in this beautiful collection of Fall Blouses. Fine quality crepe de chimes and Georgette crepes. New, in plain tailored, trimmed, frilled effects.

Blouses, \$7.50 and \$9.90
Very attractive models of finest Georgette crepe, in white, flesh and smartest silk shades.



Boys' School Suits

\$4.95

Norfolk Suits, in new mixtures and fast colored pure worsted blue serges; \$12.00 to \$18.00, at \$4.95

Golf Caps for School

A big assortment of new colors; made in newest shapes for Fall. 49c

Men's—Pajamas

Flannel Pajamas and Nightshirts, in all colors and sizes; \$2.00, \$1.75 and as low as

\$1.10

New Fall Neckwear

In an elaborate assortment of color combinations; special, each, 55c

Serge Dresses for Girls

Navy Blue

All-wool serge, full plaited skirts, short jacket effects, piping, buttons, collar and cuffs of plaid silk; special, sizes 6 to 14 years, \$6.50

New

"Serges" Made with full gathered skirts.

As above with full gathered skirt, high waist and patch pockets, piped with tan serge, hand-embroidered; sizes 6 to 14 years, \$6.75



at \$9.90

Jacket, effect outlined with row of heavy stitching, with white pique collar and cuffs embroidered with colored silk; sizes 6 to 14 years.

White Tailored Dresses

Smart tailored linen frocks straight pleated models with flat collars and cuffs with wide belts and pockets; sizes from 2 to 6 years, \$1.25 to \$1.50

Extraordinary Fall Sale of the Smartest Trimmed Hats

Specially Priced,
\$2.49 \$2.98 \$3.98 \$4.98

Hats for Street, Dress and Sport Wear



BY far the most comprehensive showing of everything that is new and up-to-the-minute in Fall Millinery. We are making wonderful progress in our Millinery Dept., because we give big values.

Come—select your Hat at The Lindell—at a saving.

Silk Velvet Tams or Silk Plush

All the rage for young girls and misses, very stylish and durable. \$1.49

\$1 Silk Gloves

Women's two-clasp black Silk Gloves, double finger tips; black and white, embroidered back. 69c

75c Stockings

Women's white foot Silk Stockings, high spliced heel and toe; slight fringe; ultra; special for Saturday, pair, 49c

6 Bars Procter & Gamble's STAR SOAP for 27c

SOLDIERS' INSURANCE BILL GOES TO SENATE

House Passes Measure Carrying Same Benefits in Cases of Privates' and Officers'.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Containing provisions for equal compensation to dependents of enlisted men and officers, the administration's soldiers' and sailors' insurance bill went to the Senate today, following its passage by the unanimous vote of the House last night. Senate consideration of the bill probably will begin immediately after the war credits bill is disposed of.

Under the bill, privates and officers and their dependents stand on exactly the same basis. Benefits and allowances now provided for are slightly higher than those originally proposed as the minimum for privates by the committee, and considerably lower than the maximum amounts which officers and their dependents would have received.

President Wilson scored a personal victory in the adoption, 141 to 77, of an amendment raising from \$5000 to \$10,000 the maximum amount of optional insurance policies that the Government would issue to all the men in the service.

The main purpose of the bill is to provide a substitute for the present pension law, as it would apply to men engaged in this war a new system of allotments and compensations which will provide for dependents of the soldier and rehabilitate men upon their return from the war.

Cost \$8 Per \$1000 Insurance. Upon enlistment under the provisions of the bill, a soldier or sailor would be entitled to take out from \$1000 to \$10,000 worth of optional insurance at approximately \$8 per \$1000. His dependents would be entitled to allotments from the Government of from \$5 to \$50 a month and an equal amount to \$15 a month from his pay.

Death or total disability resulting, the dependents of any person in the military or naval service, including women members of the nurse corps, would be entitled to compensation ranging from \$20 to \$70 a month and the insurance.

In case of total disability the injured persons would be paid from \$40 to \$100 a month. Elimination of the committee compensation provisions came unexpectedly. No serious opposition to them was promised until Representative Black of Texas suddenly began assailing the salary basis proposal as a most undemocratic thing to impose upon an army fighting for democracy. He quickly won supporters and his proposal to equalize the benefits of all classes was adopted almost unanimously. Representative

Alexander of Missouri opposed the Black amendment, on the ground that a family should benefit from the death or disability of their support in accordance with his earning capacity.

A widow's compensation would cease upon her remarriage and a dependent child's would cease at 18 years old.

Monthly benefits to a soldier or sailor in case of total disability would be as follows:

If he has neither wife nor child living, \$40; wife, \$55; wife and one child, \$65; two or more children, \$75; no wife, but one child, \$50, and \$10 additional for each child up to two; dependent widowed mother, \$10 additional.

Ten Years to File Claims. Injured men requiring nurse care would receive an additional \$20 monthly. A man losing feet, hands or eyes would be entitled automatically to \$100 a month.

Amendments adopted would give claimants 10 years instead of one in which to file their claims for compensation; prevent divorced wives from having remarried from sharing in a dependent's allowance, and eliminate proposed salary increases for present employees of the Government who are to administer certain provisions of the measure.

Opinion differs as to the cost of applying the measure. The first year appropriation is \$176,000,000, but it is declared by some that this will not be nearly enough. Representative Gillett of Massachusetts, acting Republican leader, declared that the second year cost of administration probably would be nearly \$2,000,000.

000. The measure is not complete in respect to its rehabilitation feature. Provision merely is made for rehabilitation, and the details will be worked out later. Representative Fess of Ohio particularly urged the House to be liberal in dealing with this provision. Statistics showed, he said, that 85 per cent of the broken men who return from the British front can be rehabilitated.

Shipyard at Hog Island, Pa. WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Contracts for construction of a Government-owned shipbuilding yard at Hog Island, Pa., and for the construction therein of 50 fabricated steel merchant vessels, have been let

by the Emergency Fleet Corporation to the American International Corporation. The Hog Island plant will cost slightly less than \$20,000,000.

Other contracts will go to the Submarine Boat Corporation for a plant at Newark and the Merchant Shipbuilding Co. for one at Chester, Pa.

WALK-OVER SHOES

FOR MEN

Saturday Special,

\$5



Our Men's Shop offers the best values in the city for Saturday. Five dollars buys a pair of Walk-Over Shoes Saturday, in most all leathers—up-to-minute new styles, too. Choice of dull calf, black kid, medium or dark tan or tan with buck top. Get busy.

WALK-OVER SHOE STORE

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PIANOS
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\$4 Per Month

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Saturday's Big Style Sale at the New Bedell Fashion Shop

Combining an Autumn reception day, at which we are prepared to welcome thousands more of our new-found friends among St. Louis' appreciative women, with the "Saturday Style Sale," which is a big weekly feature of the Bedell establishments throughout the country.

Every value in the New Fashion Shop is a special value. It presents the utmost in exclusiveness—the utmost in newness—the utmost in the wonderful intrinsic values made possible by this vast organization. Won't you be among the friends to pay "their respects tomorrow?"

Luxurious Autumn Paris-Bedell Suits, Coats and Gowns Arriving Almost Hourly by Late Express From New York

America's Most
Interesting Dresses
\$20 \$35 \$55

Youthful Frocks Like Those With
Which Paris Is Crowded

It is a bewildering assortment—unlimited in color and model—as varied and yet as smart in each individual frock as a gala audience at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York. From the severely tailored dress—the most useful of its kind, in regulation men's-wear serge to the scintillating reception and evening gown. And the surprise of it all is the almost incredible scale of prices.

Autumn Silks by Hundreds—Taffetas—Charmeuse
Meteors—French Serge Tailleurs—Silk and Serge
Combinations—Richest of Evening Silks

Every phase of the smart Autumn embroidery in Oriental effects—bead embroidery and silk. Tunics, surplises, basques, two-piece dresses, Russian styles, long-plaited effects—models and colors appropriate for the young woman or the woman of mature years and dignified mien. Here is a dress for every member of every family—for every purpose and at every price.

Early Autumn's
Smartest Coats
\$20 \$25 \$45

For the Motor Trip, the Street
or Evening at the Opera

At either of these prices you will find a coat for any one of the specific uses mentioned or a coat which will fashionably answer for all of them. Fashion has never been so accommodating in this respect.

New Pompon Cloth Coats New Tweed Motor Coats
New Bolivia Cloth Coats New Furleece Coats
New Broadcloth Coats New Silk Plush Coats
New Serge and Twill Coats New Silk Evening Coats

The war-fashion effect is reflected in the great variety of trench and belted models—as interesting a collection as you have ever seen. Coats straight draped from the shoulders, falling in full, graceful folds; the ultra stylish cape coats and cardinal coats. Russian styles have also exerted their influence on many of the new models, while there is still a strong tendency to high-waisted Empire effects.



Paris-Bedell Suits of
International Fame
\$30 \$45 \$65

Presenting All That Paris and
New York Are Wearing

One surprising feature of these varied assortments of Autumn's brilliant achievements in Suits is that the \$20 suits bear a notable family resemblance—a similarity in smartness that is decidedly striking—to the \$60 or \$100 suit. Each, at its price, represents all the value that the greatest organization in the World can crowd into it.

French and Men's-Wear Serges
Tricotines—Poiret Twills—Gabardines
Lustrous Satin Broadcloths

The "tailor-made girl" has not for many a season had fashion's ultra silhouettes so much in her favor, showing her graceful lines to perfection. The clinging effect—the well fitted shoulders and sleeves—the waist-line, all are the embodiment of grace and trimness. And in the beautifully fitting models now offered, the famous Bedell tailoring stands out at its best.

New Silk Blouses
of Paris Mode
\$3.98 \$5 \$8.98

Introductory Display Fashion's Blouse
Favorites—Daintiest Fabrics

Your anxiety and wonderment about the new Fall blouse is solved in this display of new waists. Every hope is realized—for so elusive has Fashion been in making her choice, it would seem she has been impartial. And yet they are all distinctive—different—and truly French.

Diaphanousorgette Crepes
Clinging Crepe de Chines
Chiffons and Shadow Laces

Pussywillow Taffetas
Soft Lustrous Satins
Novelty Habutai, etc.

Exquisitely embroidered blouses, deftly interwoven with harmonizing colored beads—artful combinations of Filet and Venice lace insertions and hand embroideries—fluffy lace trimmed frills—and collars in all shapes and forms. * Delightful new colors to match your Fall suit.

Alterations Without Charge

To fully appreciate the wonderful intrinsic values here offered, it is well to remember the further economy of "no charge for alterations" originated by the Bedell organization—and in highly successful practice at every Bedell Fashion Shop. You secure the same grade of expert workmanship as at shops which make a regular practice of charging \$2 to \$5 for alterations.

Paris New York Philadelphia Pittsburgh Boston Brooklyn Newark Rochester Milwaukee St. Louis

JAMERSON CLOTHES SHOPS
St. Louis
Boston, Philadelphia, Kansas
City, Cleveland, Cincinnati,
Indianapolis



Buy Now

JAMERSON CLOTHES SHOPS offer the latest Fall models in fashionable fabric at the same price, \$15. But—Act quickly—buy two or three suits because market conditions make a change possible at any time. Buy these usual

\$25, \$20 and \$18 Values
Suits & Topcoats
for

15

How is it done?

Quantity buying and the elimination of all unnecessary expense, is the answer. We have no high first floor rents; no free deliveries; no credit accounts or bad debts; no floormen or window talkers; no reduction sales. You get the saving.

Do it now!

Jamerson Clothes Shops
"Of National Importance"
Second Floor
Carleton Bldg., 6th and Olive

Take Elevator
Save \$5 to \$10

Open Saturdays Till 9 P. M.

Beautify the Complexion

IN TEN DAYS
NADINOLA CREAM

The Unequaled Beautifier
USED AND ENDORSED
BY THOUSANDS

Guaranteed to re-
move tan, freckles,
pimples, liver spots,
etc. Extreme cases
about twenty days.

Leaves the skin clear, soft, healthy.
Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. By toilet
counters or mail.

NATIONAL TOILET CO., Paris, Tenn.
Sold by Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., Judice &
Dolph and other toilet counters.

Boy, 12, to Be Tried for Murder.
OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 14.—A 12-
year-old boy was yesterday ordered
tried in District Court on a charge
of murder. Connelly, Circo killed
his 14-year-old companion, Earl

NUXATED IRON

Increases strength of
debile, nervous run-
down people 100 per
cent in ten days in
many instances. 100
percent if it fails to
appear in this time.
In large article soon
to appear in this pa-
per. Ask your doctor
or druggist about it.
J. & D. H. Drug
Co., Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., Johnson, Re-
der, Pauley Drug Co., Keiffer Drug Co.,
always carry it in stock.—ADVERTISE-
MENT

Cunningham, with a knife in a quar-
rel last Saturday. It was planned
to have the Juvenile Court handle
the case, but the Circo boy's mother
demanded his trial in District Court.

Spruce Mills' Output Commandeered.
SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 14.—The
output of all spruce mills of Wash-
ington and Oregon for the season
has been commandeered by the Gov-
ernment, including material now be-
ing cut to fill the order for 100,000-
000 feet for the allied armies. Or-
ders have been given to rush work
on 13,600,000 feet.

There's a means of securing a
business or office organization of ex-
perts—those who know how. Use
Post-Dispatch Wants.

FIND YOUR COLOR AND BE HAPPY, IS NEW THOUGHT IDEA

Dr. Julia Seton, Head of Alliance,
Here From New York for
Congress, Explains Teaching.

If you would be happy and
healthy, wealthy and wise, find your
color. This is the advice of Dr.
Julia Seton of New York, founder of
the New Civilization of America and
Europe, who is here to attend the
annual international congress of the
New Thought Alliance, of which she
is field secretary at large. The al-
liance will have an eight days' con-
gress at the Planters, beginning Sun-
day.

The trouble with many persons,
Dr. Seton says, is that they are try-
ing to worry along with misfit col-
ors. A person whose color is lav-
ender, for instance, tries to be violet,
and fails. Or a person whose key is
E tunes up to G and life is one long
discord for him.

Vibration's the thing, says Dr. Set-
on, and vibration translates itself
into color and sound, light and heat,
and everything. So that everybody
has a color and a sound pitch and
all who would get along tolerably
well must find their color and pitch
and get into harmony with the uni-
verse.

Definition of New Thought in Doubt.

Not that New Thought is vibra-
tion. It is that, but it is also a lot
of other things. It is hard for a per-
son with the wrong color and the
wrong pitch to find out exactly what
New Thought is. The New Thought-
ers themselves have not been able
so far to tell exactly what it is. They
are going to try to next week. That
is, they plan to formulate a state-
ment of principles, if they can agree
on what their principles are. Some
of them think it can and should be
done. Others contend that New
Thought is a growing thing and the
phrase "principles" in that color
and pitch may be a sorry misfit the week
after and they are not enthusiastic
about reducing it to the form of
speech.

But whatever they may do about
it, they are quite well agreed that
vibration is a big thing in New
Thought. And, as Dr. Seton says,
the important thing is for every one
to find his color and think in that
color and give himself a psychologi-
cal and physical setting in that color.
So doing he will be healthy and
happy and he will prosper and all
his ways will be pleasant ways.

Business Men Must Tune Up.
It is very important for business
men to get in line with New Thought,
Dr. Seton says, and find their colors
and tune up. Success in business,
she says, is very largely a matter of
the right blending of colors and har-
monizing of sounds. Anything off
color upsets the balance of vibration
and may spoil an otherwise perfectly
all right business transaction. It may
be such a little thing as the color of
one's necktie. If it is the right color
the thing goes through and the
wearer, maybe, makes a lot of money.
If it is the wrong color there is
nothing doing.

That explains a good many things
that have been hard to understand.
The successful man, Dr. Seton says,
are those who understand the laws of
vibration and do business accord-
ingly. They understand the ex-
quisite relationships of color and
harmony and form and when there
is an important deal to be put
through, they see to it that the color
scheme is just right.

Can Teach Others, Too.
The New Thoughters, she says,
can teach anybody how to do it.
First they watch you to watch your
thoughts. That is as far as she goes
in explanation. Afterward you are
taught "the finer laws" and, she says,
you get to know your color and your
pitch and link up with the harmonic
vibrations of the universe.

It is all in the thinking, she ex-
plains. You think poverty and beg-
gars flock around you. You think
fear and before night you are a
coward. You think health and suc-
cess and health and success are at-
tracted to you from out the universe
and successful men gather about you,
drawn by the magnet of your thought.

There is such a thing, the doctor
says, as being in rapport with uni-
versal influence that you will be in-
nerly guided in all the decisions of
life. If you are in doubt what
kind of an automobile to buy you
pause and get the answer from some-
where inside of you and you make
no mistake. If you are properly in
rapport it is that way in everything.
Wherever a decision is needed you
get the right impulse and never make
a mistake.

At the congress 75 organizations
or centers will be represented. Dr.
Seton hopes the meeting will evolve
a statement of principles sufficient-
ly simple to be understood by all and
yet not be binding.

"All is good and God is all," is the
gospel of the New Thought cult. Dr.
Seton explained, and the convention
expects to devise a means by which
all branches of the cult may be amal-
gamated for the common good of
mankind. The organization's teach-
ing consists of science, philosophy,
psychology and mysticism, and the
aim of its teachers is to live life as
an art, so that man may become a
perfect being.

One of the cornerstones of the sys-
tem, Dr. Seton explained, is the re-
habilitation of the body by the ap-
plication of scientific principles ap-
plied to everyday life.

The meetings will begin Sunday
and four will be held daily. Dr. Set-
on announced that many noted heal-
ers will attend and will minister to
the sick and lame free at every ses-
sion.

You Can Afford to Use Yellow Cabs.
Call Bomont 800. Cent. 1100.—ADV.

STIX, BAER AND FULLER--See Other Announcement on Page 5

We Invite Your Presence Saturday to the Fall Opening of the Misses' Store

THE first complete presentation of Autumn modes will be ready in this specialty store Sat-
urday. It is an occasion full of interest for misses and young women who like distinc-
tive apparel. It is a showing of modes that are decreed proper for the Fall and Winter season.

Each year this specialized apparel service
has come to mean more to women and misses.
Each year it has grown in helpfulness and
popularity, because of better selection in
Apparel and moderate prices.

Every need of the misses' wardrobe, from
the simplest frocks to the handsomest even-
ing gowns—the plainly tailored suits to the
fur-trimmed ones, is shown. Every model is be-
coming and youthful—every style correct.

Intelligent salespeople who have splendid taste and who are fully conversant
with the Apparel modes, will be glad to show you through the displays Saturday.



The styles shown above are all sketched from garments in the Misses' Store.

(Third Floor.)

Women's Dress Shoes

In the
Silver Jubilee at \$4.50

THIS lot affords a wide variety of novelty effects and
plain Kid Shoes, including the new fine Glazed
Black Kid lace styles, in
all sizes. They are re-
grouped for the last day of
the Anniversary Sale at this
record-low price.



Boys' Good School
Shoes
Jubilee \$2.85 Pr.
Special

Women's Plain Black
Shoes, \$2.85

Several hundred pairs, of pat-
ent or dull leathers, with cloth
quarters, made with Goodyear
welted soles, and shown in prac-
tically all sizes.

Misses' and Children's
Shoes
Jubilee \$1.98
Special

Several hundred pairs of
dress and school styles, all
serviceable footwear, and in
a range of good styles.
All sizes. (Main Floor.)

The Girls' Store--

—announces two important Anniversary items for Sat-
urday, of keen interest to Miss Six-to-Sixteen, and her
mother.

Girls' Fall Coats

Jubilee \$12.75
Special,

Serviceable School Coats, of
fine quality velour, in youthful
belted models, lined and inter-
lined throughout. In shades of
green, navy, brown and maroon.

New Wash Frocks

Jubilee \$1.29
Special,

Pretty Frocks of gingham and
chambray for school wear. There
are many plaid patterns as well
as solid shades, and many new
and pleasing effects. The values
are quite out of the ordinary.
Sizes 6 to 14. (Third Floor.)



Stix, Baer & Fuller

GRAND-LEADER

SIXTH-WASHINGTON-SEVENTH & LUCAS

New Creations In Newark Shoes

For Men



America's Greatest Shoe Values

ALL we ask is that you COME SEE THEM and let their
OWN beauties of Style and unequalled Standard of
Quality convince you they are the greatest values at
their prices offered anywhere.

For the Man who is Particular.

The big surprise in NEWARK Shoes for Men this Fall is the NEW STANDARD OF QUALITY
which they display—which exceeds our previous records for value giving. Your old friend,
the NEWARK Shoe Maker, has produced the most remarkable combination of Style and
Quality for \$3.50 that will be found anywhere this season. Choose your pair tomorrow.

Newark Shoe Stores Co.

ST. LOUIS STORES:
706 Olive Street, Between Pine
and Olive
139 Collinsville Av., Near Missouri Av.
OPEN TILL 10 O'CLOCK SATURDAY NIGHT
257 STORES IN 97 CITIES
When Ordering by Mail Include 10c Parcel Post Charges

Children's Smart Millinery

THE spirit of Fall pervades the Juvenile Millinery Section, and on every
hand the cleverest ideas in Autumn headwear are shown.

There are pretty Hats of imported velours, Trimmed Hats and service-
able School Hats that will have initial showing Saturday. They are here
in such numbers that choosing
is an easy matter.

Trimmed Velvet, Panne Velvet
and Broadcloth Hats for the growing
miss at \$4.98 to \$9.98
Banded Velours, Plush, Velvet
and Corduroy Banded School Hats.
\$1.98, \$2.98 to \$8.95
Tams, of Lyons velvet, plush and
corduroy, at 98c, \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.48



Children's School Hats

Jubilee \$1.25
Special,

Velvet Hats, in sailor and poke
shapes, as well as Tams, with ribbon
trimming, and soft Plush Hats with
ribbon and tassels. Also Sailors with
bands, and many other shapes, in colors
black, brown, navy, cardinal, rose and Co-
penhagen. (Third Floor.)

Fancy Boxes

Jubilee
Special, 39c

Crate-like-covered Station-
ery Boxes, dainty colors, fin-
ished with glazed paper in-
side. Made to hold two dozen
souvenirs and paper. (Second Floor.)

Tally Cards, 2 Doz.

Jubilee
Special, 25c

Scores for auction bridge,
500 and whist—many designs.
Card enthusiasts will save
considerable by supplying
the Winter's needs now. (Main Floor.)

Mer Gloves

Jubilee
Special, 69c

Fine Gloves of best quality,
heavyweight Italian silk, in
black, white and colors. Dou-
ble finger tips. (Main Floor.)

Human Hair Nets

Jubilee
Special, 49c Doz.

Full-size Hair Nets, of real
hair, all colors except gray,
allover and cap styles, at this
low price.
Limit 2 dozen. No mail or
phone orders. (Main Floor.)

Footstools

Jubilee
Special, 39c

Fumed Oak Foot-
stools, covered with
tapestry or leatherette
also, White Enamelled
Bathrooms, rubber tips
on legs. (Sixth Floor.)

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Mrs. Dewey to Aid Navy League.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Mildred McLean Dewey, widow of Admiral Dewey, has accepted an invitation to serve as honorary chairman of the Committee of the Navy League.



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TWO ENGAGEMENTS IN FAMILY ANNOUNCED

Miss Alice Gessler to Wed Paul Hewitt; George Gessler to Marry Josephine Grone.

TWO engagements recently have been made known in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Gessler. The betrothal of their daughter, Miss Alice Gessler, to Paul Hewitt, was announced last spring and yesterday that of their son, George Gessler, to Miss Josephine Catherine Grone, was told at a luncheon given by Miss Grone's mother at her home on West Pine boulevard. Miss Gessler's wedding plans have not been decided upon nor have those of Miss Grone and Mr. Gessler. Mr. Gessler is at Fort Riley in the officers' reserve corps and his fiancée will depart today for a week-end visit there. Miss Grone was graduated last June at the Sacred Heart Convent at Maryville and is the second daughter of the late Herman Grone.

Social Events

Miss Emilie Maffitt of 4512 Westminster place has returned from a summer in Canada and the Eastern resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson P. Hunt of Normandy, with their daughter, Miss Anne Hunt, will depart Monday for Fort Hill, Ok. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt have rented a home for several months to be near their son, Wilson Hunt Jr., who is Sergeant of the Headquarters Company in the Fifth Regiment.

Mrs. Porter Galbreath of Erie, Pa., will arrive today to visit her mother, Mrs. L. Dutilh Cabanne of 4515 Berlin avenue.

Mrs. Warren Bailey of 4556 West Pine boulevard, and her daughter, Miss Caroline Bailey, have returned from spending the summer at Annisquam, Mass. Mrs. Bailey will accompany her daughter when she departs for the East next week to enter Vassar.

Mrs. F. W. A. Vesper of 609 Clara avenue returned last Monday from a visit to New York.

Miss Charlotte Warfield of 5151 Waterman avenue, who is visiting at Douglas, Mich., will return next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Shaughnessy of 1 Washington terrace have closed their cottage at Mackinac Island and returned home, accompanied by Miss Mildred Donnell of Von Versen avenue, who was their guest during the summer.

Mrs. George Ingham Drew of 20 North King's highway returned yesterday morning from Green Lake, Wis., where she has been all summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Steinwender Jr. of the Cathedral Apartments, with their children, Miss Margaret and Sheller Steinwender, will return Monday from Butternut Lake, Wis., where they have spent the summer.

Mrs. John Leigh Green of 12 Kingsbury place is sojourning at the Elms Hotel, Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blair of 5052 Westminster place returned Sunday from Atlantic City and other Eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Louderman of 4038 Lindell boulevard are at the Hotel McAlpin in New York for a brief stay.

The Busy Bee Luncheon and Tea Rooms, 417 N. 7th st., will be open until 8 o'clock P. M. Special afternoon teas served from 3 to 5—ADV.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Sutherland have given up their apartment at 5592 Waterman avenue and will make their home for the next three months with their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Sherry, 5933 Kingsbury place, while Mr. Sherry is at the training camp for officers at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Gordon and Stuart Sutherland, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland, are now in France with Washington University Ambulance Corps.

Mrs. W. R. Emerson of 521 Lockwood avenue, Webster Groves, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. G. L. Maxwell, and Mrs. S. J. Moberly of St. City, Mo.; also Mrs. J. C. McCord of Des Moines, Ia. Mrs. Emerson gave a 500 party last Wednesday in honor of her guests, and Thursday Mrs. M. P. Phillips was hostess at a luncheon in their honor.

MEN IN LIFEBOAT 40 DAYS ROW AND SAIL 2000 MILES

Officers and Crew From Wrecked Ship Were Without Food for a Week in Open Ocean.

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Sept. 14.—After a perilous voyage of 2000 miles in an open lifeboat, Capt. Haruhiko Shiga, master of the Japanese steamship Ketchikan Maru, lost July 27 on the reef off Amchitka Island of the western Aleutians, and 14 members of his crew arrived in Ikeda Bay, Queen Charlotte Island, British Columbia, Wednesday.

For 40 days the men were in the open ocean sailing and rowing eastward and were in a terrible state when they reached Ikeda Bay. They were practically without food for a week. The officers and crew put off from the wrecked Ketchikan in three lifeboats, well provisioned, and landed on Amchitka Island. After

two days spent dividing their stores the three little craft set out on a 600-mile voyage to Unalaska.

Two of the lifeboats were forced to put back by a heavy storm, but Capt. Shiga's boat was unable to return to shelter. The two other boats, containing Chief Officer K. Matsudo and 31 survivors, subsequently started for Unalaska and

after 14 days' rowing and sailing one of the boats, in which were Chief Officer Matsudo and 20 men, safely reached its goal.

During the first eight months of 1917 the Post-Dispatch printed 60,734 Room and Board Want Ads—7482 more than the three nearest St. Louis newspapers combined.

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FANCY MEDIUM BACON 35c	SMOKED HAM 27c
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SUGAR 11 1/2 Lbs. \$1	AVONDALE MILK 2 for 25c
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CREAM MEAL 7c	BRAN 12c
Country Club FLOUR 98-LB. \$5.98, 48-LB. \$2.99	GRAPE JUICE 12c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI 10c	CREAM CHEESE 30c
FRENCH COFFEE 25c	MACARON SNAPS 2 Lbs. 25c
MILK BREAD 10c	COCA TUFFY BARS 2 Lbs. 25c
BREAD 3 Splendid Loaves, 10c	VANILLA WAFERS 9c
PIMENTOS 12c	MUSTARD 15c
PICKLES 12c	OLIVES 9c
FRUIT CANS 55c	FRUIT JARS 69c
BEANS 2 Lbs. 25c	CHILE CON CARNE 15c
CALIF. SARDINES 3 for 23c	Imported Sardines 15c
Pancake Flour 12c	KARO 14c
CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP 10 bars 47c	Washboards 20c
TABLETS 4 Wash 12c	BLUING 7c
SHINOLA 15c	Toilet Paper 10c
CAMPBELL'S SOUPS 11c	MARSHMALLOWS 9c
Country Jellies 10c	Preserves 12c
Chewing Gum 10c	Bouillon Cubes 10c
CORN 14c	PEAS 14c
TOMATOES 13c	ASPARAGUS 17c
POTATOES 15 Lb. 35c	ROCKYFORD CANTALOUPE 3 for 20c
GREEN PEPPERS 15c	TOMATOES 12c
Extra Fancy JONATHAN APPLES 45c	BARTLETT PEARS 15c
CUCUMBERS 4 for 5c	RADISHES 3 bunches 5c
BEETS 3 bunches 10c	QUALITY STORES

For a Fair Street Railway Settlement

What a Settlement Will Do for This Community

A fair street railway settlement, made without undue delay along the general lines of either of the City's ordinances, will get these results:

Transfers: It will prevent the loss or serious reduction of the free transfer privilege, worth \$1,000,000 a year to our customers, which might follow a receivership.

Mill Tax: It will bring into the City's treasury \$1,400,000 of accrued, unpaid mill tax, added to the \$1,800,000 already paid.

City Control: It will give the City joint control of street railway operation, and power, which it now lacks, to compel extensions and betterments, including rapid transit lines and subways.

Company Credit: It will put the Company in a position, which now it does not occupy, to get funds with which to make extensions and other betterments ordered by the City.

Taxation: It will relieve the Company to some extent of excessive City taxation and permit us to use revenue so saved in providing more service, in paying higher wages, and in making some return to the owners, who for seven years past have had no dividends.

City Purchase: It will provide for purchase of the system by the City, if it so desires, at 5-year intervals, with 4% City bonds, at a bare physical property valuation of \$60,000,000 fixed by the City, which is \$17,000,000 below our own appraisement of the property.

Interurbans: It will reserve the City's right to admit interurban and other street railways to this city, and establish their right to use United Railways tracks.

Franchises: It will establish for all time the fact that franchise values belong to the public; that the Company cannot capitalize them nor earn dividends on them.

Capitalization: The adoption of the partnership plan, in Ordinance No. 1, would compel the Company to reduce its total of securities from \$101,000,000 to \$60,000,000. This plan also would limit the Company's share of street railway earnings, for bond interest and stock dividends, to 6% on the \$60,000,000 valuation, which is equivalent to the normal and necessary public utility return of 8% on a valuation of only \$45,000,000.

Co-operation: It will end the 10-year City-Company fight over excessive taxation and franchise rights, and establish City-Company co-operation for more and better service.

We believe a great majority of the men and women of St. Louis will approve a settlement producing these results.

We believe only a small minority wish the City government to persist in policies that threaten St. Louis' street railway service with a receivership.

This Company speaks directly for 30,000 St. Louisans—its employees, its security holders and their families. We are as loyal to and as proud of St. Louis as any of its other citizens, and as eager to do our share in promoting the City's growth.

We do not ask that the City, if it ever buys this system, shall pay for a dollar of "water." We do not ask to be allowed to earn dividends on a dollar of "water."

All we ask is a fair wage for the labor and capital employed in providing St. Louis and the St. Louis suburban district with first class street railway service—and we are as eager to extend and improve it as any of you are to have it extended and improved.

The United Railways Company of St. Louis

Convicted of Murder of Brother.
PANA, Ill., Sept. 14.—Columbus Holland, 27 years old, was convicted by a jury today of murdering his brother, Edward Holland, whom he waylaid and shot to death, May 1 last, and was sentenced to life imprisonment in the Chester prison.

SAMPLES
Coats, Suits, Dresses
In all the latest styles and shades.
Retail at wholesale prices.
Sterling Garment Co.
502 Mermod-Jacard Bldg.
Come to the 5th Fl.—save 25 per cent.

ACCUSED OF 2 MORE ROBBERIES

Additional Charges—Made Against Men Arrested in Auto.

Two additional charges of highway robbery have been placed against the four young men who were arrested yesterday morning when riding in an automobile at Broadway and Gasconade street. Six robberies, representing an hour's work, have been credited by the police to the prisoners.

The victims of holdups which had not been reported at the time of the arrest were James P. Ryan, 705 Fillmore street, who was robbed of a watch and \$2.75 at Meramec street and Pennsylvania avenue, and John

Olliges, 2945 Michigan avenue, who was robbed of \$16.25 and a watch at Gravois and Shenandoah avenues.

German War Prisoner Breaks Neck.
SALT LAKE, Utah, Sept. 14.—The first death among the war prisoners here was that of Stanislaus Lewitsk, sailor of the German converted cruiser Gormoran, who fell from a horizontal bar and broke his neck. He will be given a military funeral and at the close of the war his body will be sent to Germany.

Falladium Bunk, Morgan, west of Grand. Opens tonight, Military Band.—ADV.

U. S. ARTILLERY IN FRANCE RAPIDLY MASTER NEW GUNS

Men Who Are Practicing With Live Shells May Be First to Go to Front.

BY LINCOLN EYRE,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

FIELD HEADQUARTERS OF THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 13.—American artillery is in France and on the job, but shells from its guns have not yet burst in the German lines. The gunners are now undergoing intensive training with French experts as instructors at the school at which I have been spending a few days, and while the training is by no means completed the Americans hope it will be found possible and believe it will be advantageous to apply the finishing touches at the actual front. In this event the artillery arm might be the first branch of the American expeditionary force to "back its way" into the German lines, an honor to which officers and men alike are eagerly looking forward.

American infantrymen, however, may face the German trenches across No Man's Land before American gunners begin trying to make gaps in those same trenches. But in such a case the infantry will be in quiet sectors where activity is confined to a little gentle sniping and bombing, whereas the artillery is bound to start plastering the enemy with extremely hot-potatoes of high explosive as soon as the gunners get settled in the firing line.

Meanwhile American artillerymen are enjoying themselves hugely. They have been allowed to shoot off in the brief period of time since their arrival more real live shells than the entire United States army uses in six months of peace times. Disembarking at the marine base a few weeks ago the regiments lost little time in reaching the French artillery center, where they have been quartered during the training period. They traveled through the ranks of the infantry had done in regular French troop trains, composed mostly of box cars labelled "Eight horses, 36 men," as a guide to their capacity.

The camp set at their disposal by the French is an assemblage of stone buildings supplemented by a few wooden hutsments perched amid scenery as lovely as any found anywhere. The men's quarters are as clean and comfortable as any dwellings in a model industrial village, and the training grounds and ranges are within a stone's throw of them. Not many miles away is one of the most interesting cities of France. To the sights for which the city has long been famous is now added an American Provost Marshal's guard to keep physical and moral order among the soldiers visiting the city on leave.

As soon as they were installed in their camp the French artillery units were provided with French seventy-fives, while the heavy gun batteries received their allotment of French 105s "short," a piece corresponding to the American six-inch howitzer. Training began immediately. Stocks of ammunition in abundance which made our officers eyes bulge were at hand, the ranges and observation stations were in perfect condition, and French airplanes were in waiting to take our aerial observers aloft. Manned by American gun crews, commanded by American officers, directed in their fire by American range-finding experts, the batteries began pounding away at targets within eight hours after their arrival. They have been pounding during most of the daylight hours ever since.

"Our gunners at least won't have to get used to the noise at the front," one of the French instructors remarked. The French officers, by the way, prefer to be called advisers rather than teachers. "We are not teaching your artillerymen," I was informed by a commandant whose knowledge of up-to-the-minute artillery tactics is a byword in the French army. "They don't need that. All we are trying to do is to help them

by laying before them what we have learned in our experience at the front."

The French are no less eager than the Americans to have the latter get to work in the battle zone as soon as possible. Despite a very large percentage of raw recruits among the gunners, both French and American officers believe it to be feasible to complete their training by using the Germans as targets—as the Germans themselves have done in the Ypres salient, a favorite place for instruction of the Kaiser's new artillery levies.

Before then, of course, the Americans must have had practice in such delicate arts as dropping a high explosive barrage 50 yards ahead of advancing infantry. With the theory of this and smaller jobs our officers are thoroughly familiar. It is only practice that they lack.

How keen the artillery is to do its bit is demonstrated by the fact that a post of airplane observers whose duties are the most perilous of all is today the most sought after. The escadrille assigned to the American

observation officers is one of the hardest worked units in the French flying corps. There is always a host of Americans clamoring to be taken up and explaining how essential it is that this particular battery commander should have full wireless reports from the air about the marksmanship of his guns.

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A New Dept.

Boys' Overcoats

With caps and leggings to match—also Boys' Mackinaws—ages 2 to 8 and 8 to 16 years—wonderful values—on sale tomorrow only.

\$4.98

Addison's
511-13-15 WASHINGTON AV.

Girls' School

Dresses

Serge Dresses—in navy blue and color—all tastefully trimmed—made in good practical styles—all ages.

\$1.85

This Sale Will Last Just 3 Hours—Tomorrow Morning
100 EARLY FALL COATS

Marked to Sell at \$10, \$12.98 and \$15 at



WE must make room for the arrival of our immense winter stocks. That's why we are offering these early Fall Coats at this sensational low price. The stock consists of just 100 Coats—we doubt if they will last the full three hours. There's all colors and sizes—dozens of different styles. Come early in the morning and you'll get the biggest bargain you've ever secured at \$6.00.

Wool Velour Coats
Wool Poplin Coats
Gabardine Coats
French Serge Coats
Rich Satin Coats
Fancy Plaid Coats
New Novelty Coats
Extra Size Coats

REMEMBER these Coats will not be on sale after tomorrow, so don't miss the last sale—come early if you can.

The Sale of the Hour—Bigger and Greater Than Ever!!

COAT SALE!!



PRESENTING the most wonderful values ever offered to the women of St. Louis—Coats worth up to \$15.15 tomorrow at

\$10.75

THE COATS consist of Wool Velours, Wool Flannels, Baby Lamb, Wool Boucles, Kersey Cloths, etc., etc.

A wonderful collection of real high-class Coats with broad fur collars and cuffs—trimmings on collars and cuffs—all hand-embroidered—every imaginable color—in this sale at \$10.75.

PLUSH COATS

With luxurious fur collars—fur cuffs and fur around the entire bottom of Coats—on this sale at

\$15

Only a Small Deposit Required.

PLUSHES with fur, ermine, beaver, marmot, dyed Marten and Cooney fur trimmings—all handsomely lined, belted or plain models—every size for misses and women.

Sample Seal Plushes

THE most luxurious plushes with costly fur trimmings of all characters—also gorgeously made and lined with guaranteed satin linings—don't miss this sale of real high-class Coats tomorrow.

\$21.75

Extraordinary Sale of Misses' and Children's Coats

\$3.98
\$7.98 Astrakhan, in all colors—
\$7.50 Plush Coats, full lined—
\$7.50 Novelty Mixtures and Chevrons—
\$8.50 Wool Plushes and Velours—
\$7.98 Ural Lamb and Mottelasses—

EVERY new style effect of the season—high-waisted and belted models—fur or velvet trimmings—all handsomely lined—ages 2 to 6 and 6 to 14 years—also in the morning if you can—avoid the crowd.

GIRLS' PLUSH COATS \$6.98

Ordinarily Selling at \$10.00 and \$11.75

BEAUTIFUL high-waisted model plushes with broad fur trimmings, fancy collars and cuffs, large pockets, etc.—ages 2 to 6 and 6 to 14 years—every new desirable shade—until the lot is sold out tomorrow at.

A DRESS SALE!!

That Should Prove the Biggest Sensation of the Season

There's just 75 Dresses—all silks and velvets.

Copies of Dresses selling everywhere at \$35.00.

\$4.98
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Men's
PAJAMAS

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Saturday's the Day to Come to
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THE PLEASURE of choosing from St. Louis' premier collections for misses will be doubly keen while these vast assortments are at the height of completeness. Prices within reach of all.

Practical Suits at \$19.75

New high-waist models—comprising almost the entire gamut of seasonable materials—in new Norfolk, belted and plaited effects. Sizes 14, 16, 18, 20.

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Other new "Stetsons" at \$4.50 and \$5.

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It's made expressly for us, under our own supervision, so we know how vastly better it is than the ordinary \$3.00 hat. And it may be had in fifty entirely different new models. Here exclusively.

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All Wool Serge these are, exploiting the smart new high waist, double breasted effect, full plaiting and belt, so much desired now. White pique collars. Colors, navy, green and Burgundy. Sizes 6 to 14 years.
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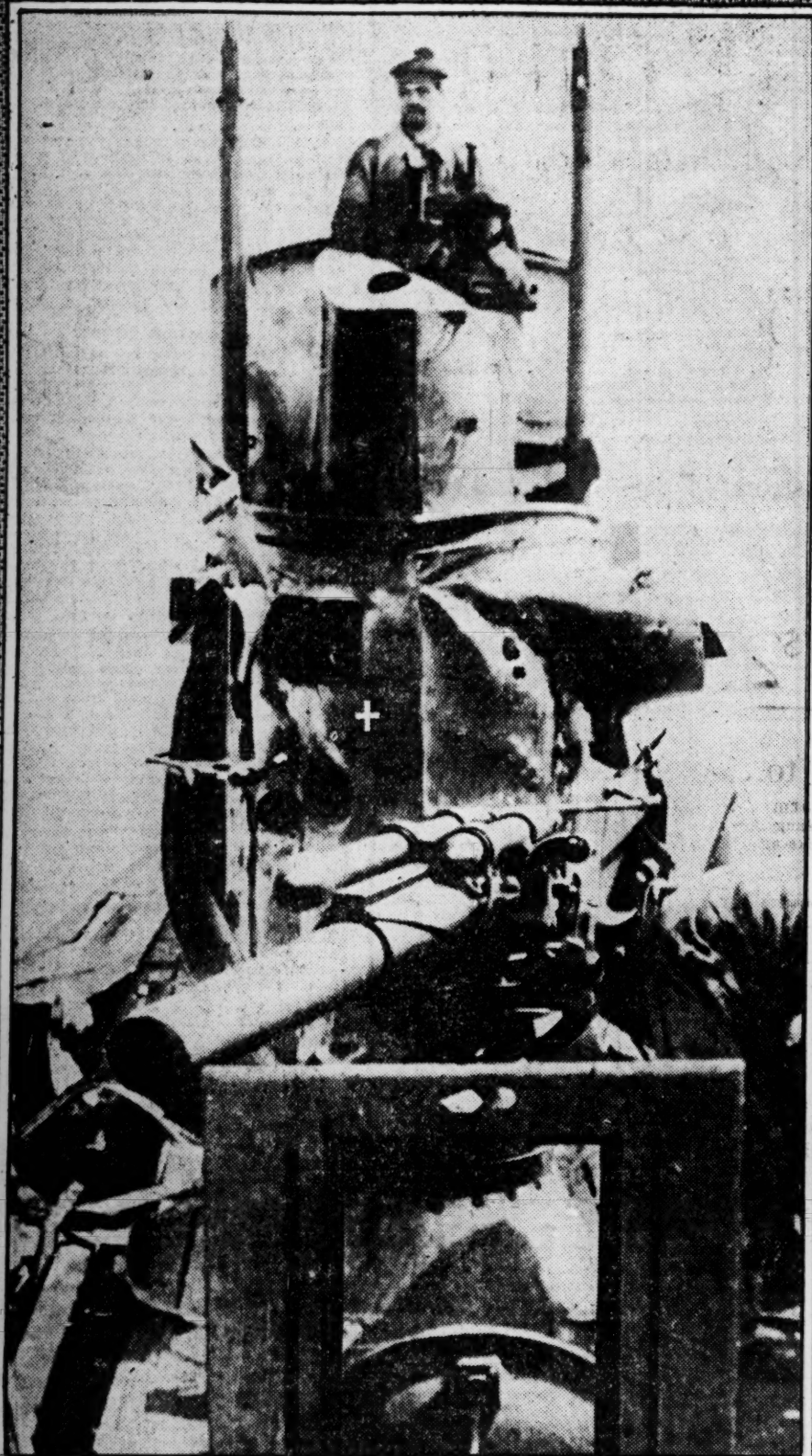
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Conning tower of the giant German submarine U-61, struck by a French shell and wrecked off the coast of France. The cross marks where the shell struck. Note the big gun with which German submersibles are equipped.



The inspiring sight which New Yorkers witnessed when its most famous regiment, the Seventh, marched down Fifth ave., before entraining for service in Europe.



Paul Painleve, the new Premier of France.



A French trench made invisible from the air by camouflage. It has been covered with light canvas and verdure to allow troops to pass to the firing line unobserved.



"Ted" Meredith, the famous runner, in his uniform as a U.S. army aviator.



W.A.F. Ekengrin, Swedish Minister to U.S.



Miss Blanchard Scott, daughter of Major General Hugh L. Scott, who is going to France to assist in war work.



Queen Mary of England, visiting a hospital for wounded Canadians.

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April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Parental Slackers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The most interesting and insidious form of slacker is the man who says under oath that he will not support his own daughter or daughter-in-law while her husband is at war. If, in times of peace, such a man would be asked whether he would support the girl he would indignantly repudiate the thought that he could be so mean; but now that the young man has no other excuse, the well-to-do father or father-in-law allows himself to sign the humiliating and false oath, the effect of which holds the District Board seemingly powerless under the law and at the same time places the father in the position of turning his own daughter or daughter-in-law out of doors while the young husband is at the front. The records are filled with cases like this, and the future will show who was who in this war. Slackers of this type should remember that these are public records and that the day will come when they and the young men cowards who benefit by their false oaths will be harshly ashamed of their shameful excuses that Congress should take up in an amendment to the draft law.

A. K. BROWNE.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND DEMOCRACY.

From the sermon of the Rev. Donald Douglas, Sept. 8, Supply Pastor at Second Baptist Church, King's highway and McPherson.

There have been two great partners in democracy in our city during the past week, and, to illustrate this point, I wish to read a significant editorial that appeared in our leading evening paper (the Post-Dispatch) only two or three days ago. Some of you will remember that some weeks ago I stated to you that I believe profoundly in drawing sermons from stirring events of the days in which we live ourselves. So likewise this powerful editorial is an inspired sermon of the day:

"Partners in Democracy."

"St. Louis this week is mobilizing two great democratic forces—\$0,000 public school children and 4577 men for the new national army."

"It may seem incongruous to associate the little girl with her braided braid on the way to her first primer class and the broad-shouldered youth en route to a school where he will learn to kill, but an identical and important end is served by both mobilizations."

"Nothing has done more to amalgamate the American people into a coherent democratic power than the public school. It has taken the children of the rich and poor, the sons and daughters of the Italian immigrant and the Mayflower descendant, and turned out a finished product of upstanding, sturdy citizenship, with one loyalty and one allegiance."

"The new national army will carry further the work of equalizing Americans. Those whom the public schools have not reached or reached only partially will learn the lesson of true democracy in the cantonments and at the front in France. There will be no discriminations in the formation of the new army units, no differentiation because of wealth, social condition or other reasons. Like the children in the schools, the men will be put together in the same company or battalion at random. There will be no elite regiments in the national army, unless it be the elite of efficiency."

"If we profit by the teachings of the war and direct wisely the forces of these wonderful years, we may look forward in America to a democracy such as Plato dreamed of, 100 per cent pure."

I do not know who wrote that editorial, but I want to say to you today that whoever he was, he was inspired of God, just as truly as any inspired work that ever came from a human pen, for this man has caught a vision of the fundamental principles of true democracy—the principle that personal value is always and everywhere the secret of genuine worth. "There will be no elite—except the elite of efficiency"—and efficiency is only another name for personal valuation.

The schools of our land have always been the dwelling places of democracy. Sometimes we hear a fond "mamma" talk about her darling boy or girl and cast slight upon public schools for her children. She plans to send her special pet to some high-priced private school or some elite academy where he or she will not mix with the common run of other children in the neighborhood or community. Occasionally we even hear of some man so foolish as to talk in that same strain. . . . There never has been in the history of education so great an equalizing agent, so true a leveler of society, so genuine a way of bringing about in the very life of the growing child, the spirit of democracy, fraternity and brotherly love.

AN ARCH TRAITOR'S FALL.

It was not a great question of constitutional policy, though one of conceivable importance in practical army direction, that Korniloff made the excuse for breaking with his Government—the restoration of the death penalty.

Refused a measure which he held to be essential in enforcing loyalty to the Government and obedience to commands, he threw all restraints of loyalty to the winds, defied command and, in the most flagrant and unforgivable fashion the republic has yet known, took on himself the guilt of the very offense he pretended to magnify.

He has furnished an unanswerable argument for the penalty he advocated. If he is not the first victim of his own rule he will be shown a questionable magnanimity instead of justice. Capital punishment ought to be revived to fit his own special case, even if immediately abolished again afterward.

How the spectacular fall of the arch traitor will everywhere stimulate confidence in the security of the republic is of course manifest. The lesson to others who may be tempted to gain personal advantage from the divisions in the state will be wholesome. The days of deep anxiety through which they have passed ought to impress patriotic but factious and intolerant Russians with the folly of playing fast and loose with the fate of the nation and the wisdom of indissoluble unity until the more pressing dangers of the new regime are averted.

Even the provisional Government must have learned something. It ought to be taught the need for wise, consistent and, especially, vigorous action in the supreme task before the nation and the peril of dissipating energies on frivolous issues. Having successfully met this terrifying problem, it is better equipped to meet others of like nature and gravity, should they present themselves.

The Kaiser may build other fatuous hopes on possibilities in Russia, but he will never build any on a more substantial foundation than that furnished by the Korniloff revolt. The Russian republic survives in augmented strength the greatest menace that has threatened its existence. It has not yet found itself. But it is in a fair way to find itself.

SENATORS GOT GOITRE, TOO?

One of the influences against holding the proposed meeting of protest at Kennett on the course of Senator Stone and Senator Reed in Congress was a telegram from Pestus Wade of this city. Whether any special conditions in matters of finance and credit assisted in giving the telegram potency is, of course, unknown. Anyway, it helped in producing results and the meeting was postponed.

Mr. Wade was lately heard from as an insistent advocate of a parole for Convict Frederick, St. Louis real estate swindler. Afterward he discovered that he had a misapprehension of the facts and confessed that he had made a mistake in what he said. What similar misunderstanding of the facts in the case led him to urge that the conduct of the Senators should be condoned? Does he claim that, in addition to the other things the matter with them, Mr. Stone and Mr. Reed have goitre, too?

PARENTS-IN-LAW HAVE AN INNING.

Judging by the stories that are coming from the draft exemption boards, the much-maligned and long-suffering father-in-law is at last getting his innings.

After all these years of grinning and bearing it since daughter brought her new husband home for him to support, it is with peculiar pleasure that he makes his appearance before the exemption judges. And when he walks away after having generously offered to relieve friend son-in-law of all responsibilities for the young woman's maintenance, there is a quiet peace in his heart that passeth understanding.

For these are the days when the young married man reaps as he has sowed. It is not for him to say whether he shall go to war or not. A good deal depends upon how he has behaved towards his wife and his wife's relatives. If he has been fairly dutiful towards the lady; if he has remembered her mother's birthday; if he has left the cigar box unlocked when the old gentleman is around and has shown more of a disposition to be "touched" occasionally than to "touch," everything is lovely. But it is easier for a camel to pass through a needle's eye than for a nigardly or sponging son-in-law to get exemption because of a dependent family.

FOOD PRODUCERS AND CONSUMERS.

The letter of a Hillsboro farmer, in Thursday's Post-Dispatch, gives the point of view of a food producer who sees only his side of the question. He produces milk on a large scale by feeding cattle. The sale of this milk only nets him 5 per cent on his investment, and he says that, by selling his corn, instead of putting it in silos and using it for feed, to produce milk, he could make a much larger profit than he does. As a spokesman for his class, he practically threatens that, unless milk prices are boosted, they will go out of the milk-producing business and the consumers can go without that fluid.

We think that, even as an agriculturist, Mr. Hillsboro Farmer is wrong. It is an axiom of agriculture that a certain number of head of stock should be kept to a given area of land, in order to maintain the productivity of that land. Does he propose to buy nothing but artificial fertilizer? He has failed to count in his profit, in the upkeep of his soil, by keeping his cattle on it.

But if the food producers are to take the stand that they are in the business to wring every penny out of it, without regard to the consumer, they will have to be unbecomingly. Especially at this time, when public spirited men in industry and business are expressing themselves as eager to do what they can for the country, even at the sacrifice of profit, it will become the food producer and his ter to regard his work as Robinson

THE NEW GASOLINE MOTOR.

Secretary Baker has issued an official statement on the new aeroplane engine about whose amazing performance many whispers have been circulated during the past two months.

The short time within which the new motor was developed is a remarkable feature of the statement. The experts in automobile engineering whose services were requisitioned held their first conference on June 3, devoted their time to the problem night and day, after ways known to motor engineers in perfecting new ideas, and in 28 days the new engine was set up. On July 4 one had arrived in Washington from Detroit ready for exhaustive tests.

But that this wonderful new piece of machinery is the product of merely 31 days of thought and constructive effort cannot, of course, be pretended. The further improvement of gasoline motors is a subject which has been uppermost in the minds of the best engineering talent for a long time, and on which much progress has been made.

For at least two years much experimentation has been devoted to revolutionary engine types. When the Government made its imperious demand, the experts were ready to show results. Probably in a crisis they could have been ready before, though in normal times we would expect that the great expense of changing standardized types of auto engines, which would be made necessary by the development of a new type throwing the old patterns into the discard, would have come about gradually.

Astonishing unofficial stories are told about the new engine. It is said to run equally well in any position, upside down, sidewise, cornerwise, and to lubricate equally well. Production of power is said to have been increased, while at the same time aluminum is used to a greater extent than in previous motors, giving an unprecedented low ratio of weight to power. When it is remembered that after a total of 30 hours in the air an aeroplane and engine are supposed to need a thorough overhauling, and to need tinkering after no more than five minutes in the air, the importance of durability can be appreciated. In this respect the new device is said to be a marvel.

Rumors are also current that some of the wealthier auto companies, convinced that types of gasoline engines heretofore known do not represent the final type, have devoted large sums to the evolution of new engines especially adapted to auto use. It is predicted that their efforts may eventuate during the latter part of the present or the first of the coming year. The fourth year of the war may be the beginning of a very interesting era in internal engine propulsion.

OUR WORTHIER PATRIOTIC SONG.

Excepting the "Marseillaise" alone, "Star-Spangled Banner" is the most stirring of the world's patriotic songs. When we celebrate its origin we celebrate also the beating of an at-tack that is entitled to a place in patriotic memory.

Whether sung in its entirety or with the third stanza omitted, as is now recommended, though the recommendation is not popularly followed, the song commemorates a triumph over the schrecklichkeit of a former period. It represents great national sacrifices that made the world a good deal safer for democracy than it had been during prior centuries.

The outcome of the war that inspired the poet was as much to the profit of the enemy of the time as to us. It taught that enemy a lesson without which its subsequent greatness would have been impossible. It put a permanent stigma on town-burning and alliances with savages against civilized combatants.

The unusual range of the music of the song is its one drawback. But having waited 100 years in vain for a song as worthy and better fitted to American voices, perhaps we must abandon hope in that direction and attempt the development of American voices to fit the song—something easily possible to evolution.

THE BELGIAN RELIEF PROBLEM.

As a result of the sinking of relief ships and the threat to commerce of the submarine warfare, the Commission for Relief in Belgium and Northern France has now only 20 steamers at command. It urgently needs at least 45. Due to lack of food, the mortality in the industrial centers of these stricken lands has risen from 15 to 65 per thousand.

Yet the Northern European neutrals have a surplus of shipping lying in their own and foreign ports, but the fear of the submarine keeps these vessels idle, while thousands starve.

Here is a result of the ruthless submarine warfare that is appalling, as it has created an apparently insoluble problem. If more ships are provided, they will simply increase the tonnage possible to be sunk by the bandits of the sea, whose Government, on the one hand, permits a neutral commission to attempt to feed its conquered victims, and on the other hand, commands its submarine Captains to sink the relief ships of the commission.

If that Government is not defeated, this treatment of conquered peoples and of neutral nations will be vindicated and become a precedent for future Teutonic action in wars undertaken to carry out Prussia's design of world mastery. The forces of democracy owe it to themselves and their posterity to fight to the last man and the last gun to prevent such an outcome to this war.

Numerous reports come from Kansas that the women there are to give up war aid work unless the Government stops the use of barley for intoxicants. Another solution would be for the Kansans to quit raising barley, even if other grains are a bit less profitable.



ABOUT ALL THAT'S LEFT.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams

PANBTELA.

Y ES, Luella,
Kaiser Billum's
Luck in Russia
Has its woes;
Just about
The time it's rosy.
Something, somewhere,
Always blows.
Now it's one thing,
Then another,
Each one promising
Relief,
Only in the
Swift procession
Of events
To come to grief.

Think of Korniloff,
Luella—
Yesterday
Brightest ray
In the Hohenzollern
Prospect—
And a prisoner
Today!
One by one
The stars of promise
Rise to meet
The Kaiser's needs,
And go down
In the progression
Of a passing
String of beads.

Time again
The Kaiser's chances
In the north
Have fairly shone,
Like Aurora
Borealis,
Bidding Billum
Claim his own.
Peals of laughter
Have arisen
Out of Potsdam
At the clench,
Only to result
In curses
And reversals
In the pinch.

One who puts
His trust in Russia,
Whether friend
Or whether foe,
Buys a ticket
In the greatest
Human gamble
Here below.
Anything at
Monte Carlo
Is beside it,
Spit for suit,
As a poker game
For matches

Is beside
The game at Butte.

That is all,
My little girlie—
Just a message
Through the air
From a mental
Colony of vantage
Right behind
The Kaiser's chair.
Every now and then
It looks as
If his hand
Would sweep the wood,
And as regularly
Billum
Murmurs finally
"That's good."

On the road to Belleville:

Storr signs painted here

A restaurateur on the Laclede avenue line has probably won the prize we have been offering so long for the most unique use of the apostrophe:

Cak's

One of our own attempts—sh! in Answers:

Dont' do it.

A publican at Paducah, Ky., makes it quite plain why he has to charge more for drinks by posting the following couplet:

Booze is getting high

And I have to get buy

A grocer's sign, St. Louis:

For Sale

Horse and wagon or separat.

One of the correspondents in Europe says we can't conceive of the war over there. Nonsense! Homer wrote the greatest war story in history, and he was not an eye witness of a single incident in it.

Still, the Americans who went down on the Lusitania were not present when Senator Stone did what he could to keep this country from making Germany answer for that terrible crime.

Mr. Ely meant to get there, but the getting was bad.

THE INTERNATIONAL SHIRKERS OF THE WORLD.

Barnacles on the ship of State.

Fly specks in the Sands of Time.

Wranglers at the Pearly Gate.

Oh, where are the Hangmen of Auld Lang Syne?

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ANSWERS TO QUERIES.

As we have no information bureau, it is impossible to answer queries by mail or telephone.

BEAUTY CULTURE.

JESSE.—One who has red nose should drink nothing hot for the organs may flame in sympathy. All rich foods should be avoided and care must be taken that liver daily performs its functions. Much exercise in open air is advised. With patience and persistence a decided improvement may follow.

C. Y.—Writing in open envelope requires full postage, even if mailed by a beauty. Perhaps you lack exercise and fresh coffee and tea both contain caffeine, stimulant. Tea, especially green tea, has an astringent action which is harmful. There are tea toppers who fairly drink themselves sick with the beverage. Best coffee and tea have a harmful effect upon the complexion. The most youthful skin can be made dry and sallow by tea or coffee.

HEALTH HINTS.

W. F. T.—The body is not built with an absolute balance of the two sides. Usually one—commonly the left—is larger than the other. This applies to feet, hands, ears and all parts of the body. The other condition you mention is normal.

ANXIOUS.—Many persons suffering from nervous breakdown fully recover. It depends largely on the patient. If he can be made to help himself it is a hopeful sign. In spite of indications to the contrary, it is frequently wise to remove such patients absolutely away from all relatives, friends and home. The most successful institution we know requires an absolute separation.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

TEARS.—If onions remain in water several minutes before peeling they will not cause eyes to water. Rub celery salt on palms of hands before peeling and odor will not remain. No odors from onions pervade the house, it is said, if a generous piece of stale bread is cooked with them.

I. A. C.—Mushroom catsup: Break firm, fresh mushrooms into quarters. Put a layer in the bottom of an earthen vessel, sprinkle with salt, then add more mushrooms and more salt until all are used. Cover and set on cellar floor three days, stirring with wooden spoon three times each day. At end of this time mash to a pulp and strain through cheesecloth, squeezing out all juice. Cook 10 minutes, then measure. To each pint of the liquor allow a generous teaspoonful each whole pepper and allspice, two slices of onion, a blade of mace, a dash of paprika and two bay leaves. Cook until thick, strain, cool and bottle. Seal tightly.

LAW POINTS.

L. E. M.—Advise consent of auto manufacturers before any assistance is made of the agency to anyone, even to your partner.

ANXIOUS WIFE AND MOTHER.—The woman who was transported would not be prosecuted under the Mann act. As for the man, the penitentiary gets him.

H. C.—(Illinois) You may convey the property you inherited at this time and need not wait until final administration of the estate of deceased. As you contemplate conveying same to your aunt without receiving any consideration, do so only by quit-claim deed.

DAUGHTER.—The farm in Missouri your mother and stepfather purchased in their joint names created a tenancy by the entirety and passed to him absolutely at your mother's death; so also the household furniture your mother possessed at the time of her marriage.

P. N.—If you lie about your age in order to get marriage license, you will probably not be punished save by your own conscience, which might some day awaken and give you trouble. An awakened conscience has sometimes given trouble over so small a matter as a stamp.

TWO READERS.—Statutes prescribe only book in which transfers of shares of stock be registered and one for names of stockholders; while books of account are not mentioned, they are necessary and should be kept and directors ought to see that if the president does not.

W. L. B.—Address your letter "Recorder of Deeds, County of St. Louis, St. Louis, Mo." Where we say "Blank" insert the county wherein the land is situated. Inclose a letter requesting the recording of inclosed deed and also send \$1 herewith. If land is addressed, stamped envelope for its return. Register your letter requesting a return receipt.

MOTHER.—Your question is not clear; from appearance the interest paid was unusual, and if so the mortgage may be voided. In answer to your other query, the note or notes, whether secured or unsecured would be outlawed 10 years after same became due, nothing having been paid on same during that time. A payment on same revives the 10-year period from day of such payment.

ELMIGER.—Certified public accountant must be (1) a citizen of the United States or have duly declared his intention of becoming one; (2) over 25 years of age; (3) of good moral character; (4) a graduate of a high school with a four years' course, or have equivalent education, or pass the examination set by the board; (5) have at least three years' practical accounting experience. In order to take the examination, applications must be filed with the board secretary at least 15 days before date fixed for examination. Necessary forms and all information can be obtained free on application to Secretary of State or Board of Accountancy of Missouri, Central National Bank Bldg., St. Louis.

WAR TALK.

THANKS.—Watch papers for War 13.

FIELDING.—Phone United States Attorney, Custom House phone.

G. D.—It is understood that the Germans sold munitions to both British and Boers. Such sales were considered entirely legitimate.

ANXIOUS.—Re-examination for drafted men in training camp. Some men with lung trouble have been greatly benefited by the outdoor army life.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. M. Z.—Nov. 31, '92, Monday.

F. E. B.—Cicotte, see-cott; accent see.

G. B.—Nov. 10, '67, Sunday; '68, Tuesday, '69, Wednesday.

PUPIL.—See the principal when night school opens, Oct. 8.

TOOTHLESS.—(correction) H. G. Wolserdorf writes: Barnes Dental College went out of business two years ago. Four-year term goes into effect this session, which opens Oct. 1.

A. W. Z.—It is probable that gymnasium classes for women will be formed this year at the Cleveland High Evening School, similar to those formed last year. See the principal when night school opens.

SAM.—Someone has said that constipation and indigestion are the result of lengthening them a little. Cold cream is used with the massage from the tips down. One with short fingers was thus answered: There is no direct cure known for real trouble. Small hands will ever be compelled to do a little "cheating" in so far as they must make up for clever and rapid skipping for the shortness of their stretch. By a skillful use of the pedal this skipping can be done so as to evade all detection, especially if you do not confine this manner of executing just to some single chord, but make the context compatible with the one you could not reach. All artificial methods widen the stretch between the fingers less usually to over-straining and react dangerously upon the hand. Beware of such (Opening and shutting the hands continues) easily might increase flexibility.



DOROTHY DIX SAYS

"Hands Off" Ought to Be a Family Motto in Love Affairs of Its Girls.

IF I were giving advice to an unborn baby, I should say: "For heaven's sake, use a little discretion and don't be either the oldest child of a family, or the youngest one of it. If you are the oldest, your poor, silly young parents will almost kill you trying out on you all of their mental and moral and physical theories about how a child should be raised, while if you are the youngest child of the family you will be bossed and chicken-pecked by your older brothers and sisters until you will wish you were dead. So have a little sense and be one of the in-between children. That's the safe and comfortable place in the family circle."

Of course, I don't expect any baby to take my advice, because babies are the hardest-headed people on earth and the ones most determined to have their own way—as witness how often they persist in being girl babies when everybody has just begged and prayed them to be boy babies, and it would be the greatest possible accommodation to dozens of people if they would be boy babies—but whether they heed my words of warning or not, I'm handing them a good tip, all the same.

Especially to those who are going to be of the feminine persuasion, for if there is any poor, harassed, put-upon creature in this world, it is the little sister in a big family. I've just got a real heart-to-heart letter from one of them. She says that she's got four old maid sisters, and ever so many brothers with wives, and that each individual in the whole family thinks that he or she has a perfect right to dictate to her about everything on earth that she does or thinks of doing.

This girl says that she is 22, but the family persists in considering her a mere infant in arms who lacks the judgment and intelligence to make any decision for herself, and in particular they hold that she is so young and tender and unsophisticated that she can't be trusted to look out for herself in good American girl fashion, but has to be chaperoned in an inch of her life.

WORSE still, the girl complains that her family is blocking her way to the altar. "I don't want to be an old maid like my sisters," she wails, "but how am I ever to get married if they scare every man away from the house by sitting around looking sour and glum whenever I come near them? There's a young man now that I like very much, and who likes me. He suits me, but because he doesn't happen to appeal to their tastes they have succeeded in making my mother believe that I don't know my own mind, and that I would be throwing myself away on a man who has his own way to make in the world, and that they know so much better what is good for me than I know myself, that my mother has forbidden me to have anything more to do with this young man."

"Won't you please write an article telling older sisters to keep their hands off of younger sisters' affairs, and let them live their lives in their own way?"

I certainly will, poor little youngest sister in a big family. I have seen your fagged body over and over again, for it is real, but true, that more hearts are broken and more lives are wrecked by our friends than our enemies, and mistaken love and kindness can do us more harm in a minute than malignant enmity can in a week. It is the pity of goodness that it so often puts its stupid foot in things and ruins where it tries to help.

Big sister is actuated by only the purest of motives when she interferes with everything little sister wants to do. Martha adores Mary and would risk her life to guard her, and all that her well-meant efforts amount to is just shutting poor Mary

out from her opportunities in the world.

There are women who never marry because they are celibates at heart. They stay single because they prefer their liberty to any man. Domesticity and children have no attractions for them, and they find in spinsterhood the condition of life that most appeals to them.

These are bachelor women in contradistinction to old maids. The old maid is the woman who wants to marry, and for some reason or other has not married. To her, husband and home and children are the only words that spell happiness, and lacking these, she is miserable, no matter what else she has. Her world is bounded by a wedding ring, and if she never gets this all the balance is cinders, ashes and dust.

This type of woman has no impossible ideal of a husband. She doesn't ask very much of a man except that he shall be a man, and when she does not get married and live happily ever afterwards, she almost always can lay the blame at the door of her meddling family.

Sometimes she has a mother whose fierce maternal jealousy has not been able to brook the thought of her daughter loving some man better than she does her mother and leaving her mother to go away with him. Such a mother will make every young man who comes to the house so unwelcome that he will not repeat his visit.

THE girl who hovers around her daughter so closely that her young man has a chance to get acquainted with the girl, much less to become sentimental, and if, in spite of too much mother, the girl does get engaged, mother never rests until she breaks the engagement off. Of course, she will tell you that she wants her girls to marry, but she wants them to wait until they are old enough and the right man comes along, but she considers anything under 60 too young for matrimony, and the right man would have to be a combination of perfections that unfortunately does not exist in this wicked world.

So, unless the girl has the nerve to elope with some man she has met on the sly, mother's hand shuts the door to matrimony to her and forces her out into the bleak wastes of spinsterhood.

Generally, however, it is the older sisters who ruin little sister's chances of matrimony, and they do this even although they are married themselves and desire to see her well married. But it is the unfortunate habit of many families to constitute themselves into an anvil chorus and sit ready with their hammers to fall on every beau little sister has and knock him into the shape of a figure of fun.

The young man may be a worthy and estimable young man, but there are none of us in whom a lot of conscientious investigators after flaws cannot find defects, and when the ordinary youth has run the gauntlet of family criticism, he isn't a shred of character left to him.

Sister Annie has discovered that he is knock-kneed; Sister Susie that he combs his hair the wrong way; Sister Ella that his clothes don't fit; Sister Hannah smells smoke on him; Sister Julia fears he does not take a serious view of life, and so it goes until the poor girl's little dream of romance is burnt up in the hot fire of criticism.

And while she is waiting for the impossible man to come along who would meet all her sisters' requirements, youth goes and old maidhood comes and her chance to live the life she wanted has gone by.

That's the reason that Hands Off ought to be a family motto. Especially in love affairs. It's too much family that is responsible for too many old maids.

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The Post-Dispatch
Daily Short Story

THE STUFF OF HEROES

By Sam Hellman
Written for the Post-Dispatch.

CAPT. THURSTON, going home on sick leave, was entertaining the group in the smoking room with tales of heroism on the Western front.

"Are you sure," interrupted Harkness, the American doctor, "that these men of whom you have been talking were heroes, rather than cowards, downright cowards?"

"Cowards," repeated Thurston, with a puzzled frown. "I don't think I quite understand you, doctor. You don't for a moment regard a man who goes to almost certain death to save a comrade under fire as a coward, do you?"

"I don't know," replied Harkness, thoughtfully. "I have been on the front now for more than two years and the longer I stay there the finer and more indistinct grows the line between great heroism and actual cowardice."

"But, doctor," interrupted the Captain. "Just a moment, Captain. I have something on my mind I'd like to get off. Let me tell you gentlemen a story. I'll make it short."

The smoking room group leaned forward attentively.

"For the last six months," began Harkness, "I have been stationed at the base hospital at Le Fontaine, you know, Captain, in back of the Ancre. We handled thousands of cases, but one of them stands out in my memory very vividly."

The day after the attack on Beaumont-Hamel a young fellow was brought in wounded in a dozen places, seriously, but not dangerously. He was whimpering like a child.

"Please don't hurt me, doctor," he begged. "You won't hurt me, will you? I'm afraid."

"I had heard several patients speaking in the same tone and I paid little attention to him. While one of the attendants was removing his clothing I noticed planned to his coat the Victoria Cross and the D. S. O. medal."

"What's your name?" I asked.

"He told me, gentleman. You would recognize it at once, but I shall not repeat it. He was regarded as one of the greatest individual heroes of the war. For convenience I shall call him Atkins."

"Well, to get to the point. We finally fixed up his wounds and I forgot all about him until the next day when I went to change the dressings. Again he begged me not to hurt him, whimpering like a child being vaccinated, though the pain was not nearly so great. Finally I lost patience."

"Great heavens, man," I cried, "can't you stand a little pain, you with two medals of courage, you a great hero. What's the matter with you?"

"It's all a mistake, doctor," he replied. "I am not a hero, I am a coward and the worst kind. I always was a coward."

"But the medals," I ejaculated.

"They're yours, aren't they?"

"Yes, they're mine, doctor, but I am a coward. Oh, please don't hurt me. I stopped fumbling with the bandages."

"Tell me," I said to him kindly, "what you mean by this talk of cowardice."

"Then, gentleman, he told me how he had been forced into the army by his mother. There was a girl and others and they taunted him until he enlisted. From that day on he knew nothing but fear. The night before the regiment was ordered to France he tried to kill himself with poison, but his courage failed him."

"How about that, V. C.?" interrupted Capt. Thurston.

"I'm coming to that," replied the doctor.

"Once behind the lines, Atkins hardly ate or slept, he was so thoroughly impregnated with fear and he just would call it—cowardice. Then they put him in the battle line. Though outwardly as calm as the bravest, mentally he was constantly in a wild state of alarm."

"One day there was a call for volunteers to bring in some wounded. The officers had announced it was almost sure death for the rescuers. Atkins told me that the words 'sure death' were the sweetest he had ever heard. Death! It meant the end of everything, the worry, the fear that was slowly killing him and the anguish of mind that was driving him insane."

"Atkins went over with a dozen men. Eleven were killed. He came back carrying an officer and got the Victoria Cross."

The fact that this discovery which is made from a Japanese product will actually remove corns, bunions and without the slightest pain or soreness, and is entirely responsible for its large and increasing sale. You simply apply a little of the cream to the corn or callus and instantly the soreness is relieved and soon the corn or callus is so shriveled that it may be lifted off easily with the finger nail, and all leaving the surrounding skin in normal, healthy condition. In minor cases of foot troubles, such as tender, tired, swollen feet, burning, itching, and sore feet, by rubbing just a little Ice-Mint on the feet in the morning and at night, you will find a cool, easy and comfortable relief. The cream is a non-toxic, non-poisonous substance that will not harm the skin in any way. It is a tender skin. In fact, it imparts such a soft, smooth, and healthy glow to the skin that it has become very popular with ladies who wear high-heeled shoes and with men who have to stand on their feet all day. If you want to know what real foot comfort is, try Ice-Mint on your feet for a small jar of Ice-Mint, which will come to you little, yet is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn of callus and put them in fine condition. You'll like it immensely.—ADV.

Youth's Blindness

By C. D. BATCHELOR



YOUTH does not heed the injunction, "Watch your step." Youth cannot see the firm earth for the clouds of romance. Youth stumbles across realities, and then youth learns in the hard school of experience. Until youth has lived, deceit, dishonesty, impurity and fraud are but the tools with which romancers build their charming tales.

Cross. I asked why he didn't stay out there until he was killed if that was his wish.

"I was afraid," he replied; "the bullets whistled all around me and I got to trembling. So I couldn't stay there any longer."

"And the D. S. O.?" asked the Captain.

"Almost the same way," replied Harkness. "A time shell dropped in his trench section. Atkins by this time in almost a state of collapse decided to pick up the shell and be blown to atoms. He held it a while, got scared and managed to heave it over the trench."

"That's the strangest story I ever heard," remarked the Captain. "At that, I imagine there are several similar cases. What happened to Atkins?"

"My God," ejaculated the Captain, "why didn't you cut off his arm?"

"I wish I had," replied Harkness.

The Sandman Story

--FOR TONIGHT--

By MRS. F. A. WALKER.

Woolly Dog and Flannel Rabbit.

FLANNEL RABBIT and Little Woolly Dog lived in a playroom in an attic, and while Flannel Rabbit did not always feel that his life was in danger, he really had a very hard time of it.

When the little master played his tin horn and his rocking horse he always had Woolly Dog hunt with him, and poor little Flannel Rabbit was chased and chased around the playroom until his little wheels under his body would whirl around after he was under cover of the sofa or behind a box.

Besides living in terror of Woolly Dog, Flannel Rabbit was terribly afraid of being made into a rabbit pie, as his little master always said to nurse as he threw him on the table beside her: "Here is a nice, plump rabbit for your dinner." Then nurse would say: "Oh, he will make a fine pie; thank you so much." And so Flannel Rabbit did not know which would be the worst thing—being made into a pie or having Woolly Dog catch him.

At night when the playroom was still Flannel Rabbit would look out at the other toys having such a good time playing and running about, but never once did he dare to run for fear Woolly Dog would chase him.

At last one day Flannel Rabbit lost one of his shoe button eyes in the chase and another day he lost his stubby tail, and then his white coat became so spotted that the little master wanted nurse to give Flannel Rabbit a bath, and that was the finish.

Water did not agree with Flannel Rabbit and poor little Rabbit looked very shrunken and forlorn when he dried.

He was thrown into a box in the attic storeroom, and though he was sad at times, he found it was nice and quiet and there was no Woolly Dog to chase him.

"It might be worse," thought Flannel Rabbit. "Suppose I was in here along with that fierce Woolly Dog! I guess I am very fortunate after all."

But the worst was to come, and

"He died," replied the doctor, slowly, "he died of fear."

The listening group grew tensely silent.

"A bit of gangrene set in," resumed Harkness, "and I told Atkins he would probably lose his left arm. You never saw a smile of greater calmness come over a man's features. He would not have to fight any more."

"Later we managed to stop the poisoning and the amputation was not necessary. An interne told Atkins he would probably be able to get into the fighting in a month or so. That's about all. He died in three weeks."

"My God," ejaculated the Captain, "why didn't you cut off his arm?"

"I wish I had," replied Harkness.

So he poked very softly at Woolly Dog with his soft nose.

Woolly Dog opened one eye and looked at him and Flannel Rabbit trembled, but Woolly Dog closed his eye again and Flannel Rabbit grew bolder.

"Don't feel so broken up, old chap," he said; "it is not so bad here. It is nice and quiet and there are no dogs to chase you. Oh! I didn't mean that," he said. "Oh! that is all right," said Woolly Dog, opening both eyes this time. "I know you thought I was very fierce in the playroom, but that was all pretend. You know I had to play whatever the little master ordered me to."

"If you had come out some of the nights when we could talk after the house was still I should have told you it was all just play hunting, but I never could find you."

"Oh! was it all play?" said Flannel Rabbit, feeling suddenly very comfortable and chatty. "I wish I had known it. I could have enjoyed life better in the playroom. I really was not half as bad about leaving it."

"You may be glad you were out of there these days since the little master plays with a gun that pops and everything in the playroom has been shot at. That is how I lost my tail and my poor leg, too."

"Did he really shoot you?" asked Flannel Rabbit.

"He hit me with the cork in the gun and knocked me off the table; he was playing I was a mountain lion and then he dragged me about by my tail and pulled it off," was the reply.

"Oh!" said Flannel Rabbit. "I am glad I am here, and now you have come here to live I am sure it will be much better than in the playroom."

So little Woolly Dog and Flannel Rabbit lived out their lives in the attic on the most friendly terms, which goes to show that those we most fear and dislike sometimes grow to be our best-loved friends.

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RECIPES

ROCKS—Cream together 1 cup of butter and 1 1/2 cups of sugar. Add 3 eggs beaten separately, 1 teaspoon of soda, 2 teaspoons of cinnamon, 2 1/2 cups of flour, 1 pound of English walnuts, 2 pounds of dates. Drop from a teaspoon on oiled paper and bake like cookies.

CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE—Cream 1 heaping tablespoon of butter with 1 cup of sugar, add the well-beaten yolks of 2 eggs, 1/2 cup of milk, 1 1/4 cups of flour, sifted with 2 teaspoons of baking powder, and a pinch of salt. Add the whites of the eggs, beaten until stiff, and 1 teaspoon of extract of vanilla. Bake in layers and put together with chocolate filling and frosting.

CREAM CAKE—Break 2 eggs in a cup and fill cup with sweet cream. Add 1 cup of sugar, 1 1/2 cups of flour, 2 teaspoons of baking powder, sifted together, 1 teaspoon of extract of vanilla and 1 teaspoon of extract of lemon. Beat well and bake.

COUNTRY CRULLERS—The ingredients are 1 cup of sugar, 1 cup of milk, 4 ounces (1/2 cup) of butter, 2 whole eggs and the yolk of another, the grated rind of 1 lemon, 2 round ing teaspoons of baking powder, flour enough for a stiff batter. Cream the butter and sugar together, add the eggs, one at a time, beating hard between each one. Sift the baking powder and flour together and add alternately with the milk. Roll out and fry in deep hot fat.

MOLASSES LAYER CAKE—Cream 1 cup of shortening—one housekeeper, who makes this cake and considers it a great delicacy, uses one-half butter and the other half suet, melted, of course. Work into this, 1 cup of brown sugar. Dissolve 1 teaspoon of soda in hot water and pour it into 1 cup of sour milk. Then turn that into a bowl into which 1 cup of molasses has been measured. Stir all together well and then beat into the creamed shortening and sugar. Add the well-beaten yolks of 5 eggs, when eggs are plentiful—when they are not, use 3 whole eggs, saving out the white of 1 for filling. Sift together 2 1/4 cups of flour, 2 teaspoons of cloves, 2 teaspoons of cinnamon, 2 teaspoons of allspice and a pinch of salt and add, last of all, 3 cups of sugar. Put together with a filling, made of the white of egg, brown sugar and raisins (chopped), and cover it with the same.

JACKSON COOKIES—Cream 1 cup of butter and work into it 2 cups of sugar. Dissolve 1 teaspoon of soda in hot water and add to 1 cup of sour cream. Add 3 eggs, beaten well, 5 cups of flour, a little nutmeg and 1 cup of chopped hickory nut meats.—Christian Science Monitor.

Battleship Gathers 600-Ton Crust.

ONE of our big warships was brought into dock the other day for a cleaning.

It was worked all day scraping off 600 tons of animal and plant growth from its sides and bottom. This tremendous quantity of sea life had accumulated in less than two years, during which time the ship had traveled many thousands of miles.

The weight of the barnacles was so great that from 25 to 40 per cent more coal was consumed in maintaining the normal speed of the boat.—Popular Science Monthly.

much better than in the playroom."

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Some Function.

The teacher was examining the class in physiology.

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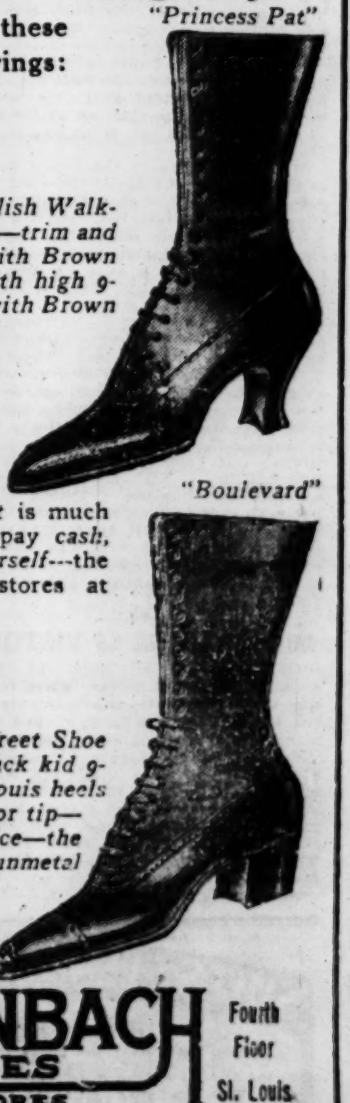
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The Pirates Had a Barrel of Fun, When Cooper From the Cardinals Won

LORD NEARS CITY GOLF HONORS HE LOST LAST JUNE

Algonquin Star Reached Title Round Yesterday by Defeating Limberg.

WOLFF ALSO A FINALIST

Survivors of Semi-Finals Will Meet for St. Louis Championship Saturday.

Roger E. Lord of the Algonquin Golf Club faces the unusual possibility of regaining a city's golfing supremacy only two months after he had relinquished it. Lord won the St. Louis Golf District championship, then known as the city title, last year; but was knocked from the titular pinnacle at the St. Louis Country Club in June.

All that he has to do in order to win back the title is to defeat Clarence L. Wolff of the Forest Park Golf Club in the 36-hole final match of the city tournament on the public course tomorrow.

This unusual situation is due to the institution of the new city championship on the local golfing calendar. Because the public course players were not admitted to compete in the district tournament, the Forest Park Golf Club announced the holding of an open tournament on the Forest Park ways, a victory of which is indicative of St. Louis supremacy. This is the honor for which Wolff and Lord strive.

The two finalists emerged from the semi-final round with clean records, due to victories over Edward A. Limberg, a former city and municipal champion, and J. J. Crichton, Lord's opponent in the 18-hole final of the district tournament, 2 and 1, while Wolff suppressed Crichton, 4 up and 2. Both matches were 36 holes.

Limberg Makes Uphill Fight.

The Lord-Limberg bout was as splendid an uphill struggle as has been seen on a local sward in several golfing years. At the close of the morning play the Algonquin player was 4 up, a lead thought to be safe for a steady player of Lord's ability. During the outward trip of the afternoon play Lord increased his lead to seven up. Then came the aforementioned drive sponsored by Limberg. Playing practically perfectly, Lord's Triple A player evened the score on the fifteenth hole. During this interim, between the fifth and fifteenth holes, Lord was in the midst of difficulties, especially on the approach of the green. However, as soon as the score was tied, Lord retained his composure, and played the master hand. He regained the advantage on 16 when Limberg dubbed an iron shot from the grass, and was too long on his approach. Seventeen proved the crucial hole, Lord's pitch taking him to the green, while Limberg went over. A beautiful niblick shot gave the ultimate lower a life. Lord missed the putt and Limberg putted for a half, laying his opponent what seemed to be a styler. Lord, however, rolled around the ball for the hole and made.

Course Suits Lord.

As to Lord's play, the public course seems perfectly constructed for it. The Algonquin champion was continually in trouble at the Country Club because of a natural hook in his drive; but a little bit of supporting Claydon's representative. He has not proven dependable under the fire of the finals. Included in his medal record of the week is a 73, two 74 cards, a 78, and a 79. That is flawless golf.

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Former District Champion Who Meets Wolff in Title Finals



Cooper, With Club 40 Games Behind, Is 1917 "Miracle"

Pittsburg Hurler Has Record of 14 Battles Won and 8 Lost; He Has Beaten Giants Three Times, Every Contest in Which He Has Faced the League Leaders.

PITCHING for a club that is 40½ games out of first place and 14½ lengths behind the seventh-place aggregation, Wilbur Cooper, a southpaw, has been able to win more than one-half of his games this season. In fact, when the fork-hand hurler stopped the Cardinals yesterday, 2-1, he registered his fourteenth victory of the campaign. He has lost eight times, which gives him a winning percentage of .636.

This left-hander, considered by many the best port-sider in the National League, also has proven his worth in the efficiency records, as in 256 2-8 innings pitched he has yielded but 63 earned runs, an average of 2.16 per nine-inning battle.

While he has been the victor in only three of his last five starts, he has yielded only one earned run in 39 1-3 innings, while the hits off him total 25. Twice he was beaten by 1-0 scores, once by the Cardinals on Sept. 1, with an unearned run coming in the ninth, and again by the Cubs last Sunday.

Five Games, 1 Earned Run.

Cooper has proven a thorn in the side of the Knot-Holers all season. They have succeeded in beating him twice, while he owns three victories over Huggins' clan. In the 45 innings he has pitched against the league leaders, he has found for 28 hits and only one earned run. In all, the Knot-Holers have tallied six times.

Of his 14 conquests this year, six of them have been by the shutout route. Even the New York Giants have suffered being blanked two times both by 1-0 counts. His whitewashes have come as follows:

April 23—Pittsburg 2, Cardinals 0; allowed six hits.

June 15—Pittsburg 4, Cardinals 0; allowed six hits.

July 23—Pittsburg 1, New York 0; allowed six hits.

Aug. 10—Pittsburg 1, Philadelphia 0; allowed nine hits.

Aug. 14—Pittsburg 2, Chicago 0; allowed 9 hits in 12 innings.

Aug. 27—Pittsburg 1, New York 0; allowed seven hits.

Poor Support Beats Cooper.

In five of the contests which Cooper has lost this year his mates have failed to score behind him, while in two of them he was scored upon only once. Two of his other reverses this year have come by one-run margins.

Hugo Bezdek's ace has had his greatest success of the campaign against the league leading Giants. He has faced the Prussians in three full contests and has been returned the victor that many times. In all, he has pitched 30 2-3 innings against McGraw's men and has been found for two earned runs. That's fair pitching against a club that is leading the greatest success against him. Matty's aggregation has beaten him three times in five starts. In one of these games, the Pirates failed to tally, while the other came by the one-run margin.

Ties Alexander in 14 Innings.

Besides the contests in which he either won or lost, Cooper engaged

CITY AND CENTRAL STATES CHAMPIONS OPPONENTS TODAY

Feature Match of St. Louis Title Tourney Brings Gamble Against Drewes.

A great deal of the conjecture whether St. Louis is to have a new tennis champion will be eliminated today, after the match between Clarence Gamble, the present monarch of local courts, and Theodore Drewes, winner of the Central States title.

Gamble in order to retain his laurels will have to defeat Drewes which is just about as great a task as could be put before a local racquet player. Drewes is admitted to be the best player in this city and should Gamble defeat him, the odds are fairly long that he will continue to wear the royal purple. The Drewes-Gamble match will be started at 3 o'clock.

Another match which stands out on today's program is that between Arthur Report and Fred Jostles. These are two players who regularly are found at the semifinals and beyond. They recently met in the Triple A tournament and struggled in a brilliant five set match, Jostles winning.

Several attractive matches were contested yesterday. Champion Gamble was pressed by the youthful Walter Haase, winning 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. Drewes also could not afford to loaf, Walter Bowman sending him to 7-5, 6-4.

Today's Matches.

SINGLES

Schuessler vs. Finger, 3 p. m.

Smith vs. Copeland, 3 p. m.

Gamble vs. Drewes, 3 p. m.

DOUBLES

Albers and Blackwelder vs. Jostles and Haase, 3 p. m.

Winners of above match to meet Rice and Florida.

Haase and Epstein vs. Copeland and Dalrymple, 3 p. m.

Pasmore and Basler vs. Wilson and Smith, 3 p. m.

Winners of above match to meet Jones and Hoer.

TICKETS ON SALE FOR RED CROSS NET MATCH

Seats for the tennis match between Miss Molla Bjurstedt and Miss Mary Browne for the benefit of the Red Cross, to be played at the Triple A courts, were placed on sale today at the Jefferson, Planters, Famous-Barr and Triple A. The prices are \$1.50 for box seats, \$1 for grandstand and 50 cents for bleachers.

In case of rain, arrangements have been made to place a tarpaulin over the court.

Conzelman Wins Boxing Title at Training Station

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—In his second appearance as a boxer at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Jimmy Conzelman of St. Louis yesterday landed a middleweight championship of the camp when he shaded George Emro in three lively rounds.

Emro had held the title since early in May and had defended it successfully six times.

The meeting aroused considerable enthusiasm at the camp and the entire station turned out to see the boys mix it.

When Gerard Van Schaick, a prominent Chicago sporting man, presented Jimmy with a silver loving cup for his performance, the Mount City delegation carried the new champion all around the drill hall where the bout was held.

Ed W. Smith, well known referee and sporting writer, backed up Referee Gunner Kennedy in his decision in the match.

Conzelman's increased weight will make him a contender for the Algonquin Club of St. Louis, turned in a 73 card for the first 18 holes in the Western open title tournament held yesterday. William Hunter, another St. Louisan, had a 76 and James Mohan, 77.

J. M. Barnes of Philadelphia, former champion, made a great bid to regain his honors when he set a new course record of 87 for the first 18 of the 72-hole contest. Barnes' score was five under par.

The second round will be played today, with the final 36 scheduled for Saturday.

TODAY'S IF TABLE

Standing of the Clubs. American League.

TEAM.	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss.	Games
Chicago	91	47	.660	.662	685
Boston	81	53	.604	.607	660
Cleveland	78	63	.553	.547	540
Detroit	69	69	.500	.504	466
New York	69	70	.493	.489	482
Washington	63	70	.474	.478	470
Baltimore	59	73	.445	.451	444
Philadelphia	48	86	.358	.363	356

National League.

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New York	87	49	.640	.642	635
Philadelphia	78	59	.563	.565	530
CARDINALS	75	65	.536	.538	514
Chicago	70	69	.504	.504	349
Cincinnati	69	70	.496	.500	493
Brooklyn	63	71	.470	.474	467
Boston	59	73	.445	.451	444
Pittsburg	48	86	.358	.363	356

Yesterday's Results.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York 13-17, Boston 0-3. Batteries—Shawkey, Lova and Nonemaker; Foster, Penock, Jones and Cady.

Washington 2-1, Philadelphia 1-0. (10 innings.) Batteries—Gallia and Almsmith; Myers and Meyer.

Other teams open dates.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg 2-0, Cardinals 1-1. Batteries—Cooper and Wagner; Meadows and Snyder.

Boston 7-10, New York 0-3. Batteries—Rudolph and Meyers; Benton and McCarty.

Second game New York 2-3, Boston 1-3. Batteries—Demaree and Rariden; Nehf, Ragan and Meyers.

Philadelphia 1-7, Brooklyn 0-1. (11 innings.) Batteries—Alexander and Killebrew; Pflaffer and Miller. Second game—Brooklyn 7-16, Philadelphia 3-7. Batteries—Marquard and Krueger; Fittery, Lavender and Burns.

Chicago-Cincinnati, open date.

Yesterday's Attendance.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston in New York, 1000.

Philadelphia in Washington, 700.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg in St. Louis, 1200.

New York in Boston, 5000; (two games).

Brooklyn in Philadelphia, 4000; (two games).

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York at Boston, clear, 3:15 p. m.

No others scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago at Detroit, clear, 3:15 p. m.

Cleveland at St. Louis, clear, 3 p. m.

Philadelphia at Washington, cloudy, 3:30 p. m.

Boston at New York, clear, 3 p. m.

ST. PAUL GAINS LEAD IN ASSOCIATION RACE

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—The three-cornered race for the American Association pennant was upset yesterday. St. Paul going into first place as a result of a 5 to 1 victory over Louisville, while Indianapolis, which had led from the start of the season was 1-0.

St. Paul now has a lead of half a game over Indianapolis, while Louisville, in third place, is a game behind the Hoosier club. As the season does not close until next Wednesday, either of these clubs has a chance to win the flag.

The standing of the leaders, including the game today, follows:

St. Paul	85	62
Indianapolis	84	62
Louisville	83	64

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M'DEVIITT NAMED COACH.

HAMILTON, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Harry S. McDevitt, former Dartmouth football star, has been engaged to coach the New York University eleven this autumn. McDevitt, who was named as coach last fall, is now a Captain in the national army. Football practice will start Sept. 24.

CLEVELAND ELEVEN STARTS TRAINING UNDER NEW COACH

Mathews, Successor to Midkiff, Lines Up 35 Candidates in First Workout.

Will H. Mathews, former assistant coach at Central High School, and now director of athletics at Cleveland High School, as announced in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, gave 35 candidates for the football eleven their first workout, yesterday afternoon. No hard practice was indulged in.

Of last year's team Gibson, Pot-hof, Kilpatrick, Elminger, Schramm, Richter, Hlavaty and Rafferty are among the missing, indicating to what extent the new leader is "up against it."

Mathews ought to prove a good instructor. He was born in Cleveland, in 1891. He graduated from the high school at Blanchard, Mo., and from there went to the Simpson College at Indianola, Mo.

There he began a remarkable career in the sport world. He was a member of the football and basketball teams for four years, of the baseball team three years and of the track two years.

In track, he was the school's star in the 440 and 880 yard dashes, winning first place in both events in the State meeting 1910. In baseball he played second base and caught.

Football was his real game, he has been on the eleven four years, in which time the team won for four consecutive times the Iowa State Conference title. Basketball was another of his strong points, he playing on the team also in 1912.

Immediately after graduating from Simpson College, he received an offer from the Louisville Male High School of Louisville, Ky., to take over the coaching of football, basketball and track. He came to Central in the fall of 1915 and at once started to assist Mike Walker in the coaching of the Central teams.

His chief duty was to look after the developing of the kickers; and the ability of Talty O'Connor may be attributed to his tutoring. He had sole charge of the basketball team last year.

New Browns to Be Tried, Today, Against Indians

Walter Gerber, shortstop, and Ray Demmitt, outfielder, obtained with Grover Lowdermilk in the recent trade with Columbus, will report to the Browns today and will be put into the game immediately. Gerber will replace Lavan, while Demmitt probably will be used in right field replacing Sloan.

Lowdermilk after a hard campaign with Tinker's aggregation had asked for a short vacation and will not join the club until it starts for the East to close the season. Lowdermilk was the leading finger in the A. A. in the matter of earned runs allowed per game.

Jones announced this morning that George Sisler would miss the contest this afternoon. Lee Magee will be stationed at first base. An injury to Sisler's wrist will force him out of the game.

Dave Davenport, the big right-hander is due to pitch for Fielder Jones today, while Stanley Goetzkie will probably fling for the enemy.

SPORT SALAD BY L. C. DAVIS

The Revue.

MY friends, it's to blubber: The Cards lost the rubber And failed to come through in the stretch; They couldn't hit Cooper. The Buccaneer trooper. Who put on a neat little sketch.

We figured on taking The series, and making A drive on the runner-up place; Without any trouble The Bucs pricked our bubble, And still we are third in the race.

Without a rehearsal They staged a reversal And put up a great game of ball. This Pirate uprising Is very surprising— We can't understand it at all.

The team of Jack Barry Continues to tarry. They're hopelessly out of the fight; Their spirit is broken And, by the same token, The Red must give way to the White.

The Brownies, dear readers, Are not the league leaders; In fact, they have no chance to cop. But reverse the "IF" table And then you'll be able To see them right close to the top.

Why Not?

THE Red Sox are now eight games behind the White Hose. Is in order for Mr. Frazee to raise his bonus to \$2000 per man.

It is rumored that Barney Dreyfuss has offered every member of his team a bonus of \$1,000,000 if the Pirates cop the flag this year.

Suggest that the business men of St. Louis start a subscription to raise a \$10,000,000 fund for the Browns if they win this year's pennant.

Or, if they win the cellar championship, why not endow a cot for them in some hospital so they can lie down with comfort.

W IEN the schedule compilers start to work on their assignment next year we hope they will give the Browns a few more winning games. Losing games are all right in a way but they grow monotonous after 18 or 20 years. Not that we want to complain or anything like that.

A victory for St. Paul in the pennant race, we take it, would cause considerable rejoicing among the Ephesians.

STUDENT OFFICERS MAY SEE WORLD TITLE GAME

PORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Sept. 14.—If the Chicago White Sox win the American League pennant, and if one of the world's series games is played on Saturday, more than 2500 student officers at the training camp here will witness the contest, according to a letter which is in hands of Ban Johnson, president of the American League, today.

Rev. Myron E. Adams, director of camp morale, has written to President Johnson asking that provision be made for the sale of between 2500 and 3000 tickets at the camp, if a game of the series is played in Chicago on Saturday, the one holiday given the students.

Three singles gave the Pirates one off Meadows in the first, while the deciding marker came in the sixth, when King crossed while Miller was retiring Carey on the double steal. Today is an open date for the Cards. Tomorrow they open in Chicago.

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THE POST-DISPATCH DAYLY MARKET REPORT OF MARKETS AND FINANCE

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Gains of One-Half to One Point Are Scored on the Reports of Better Conditions in Russia.

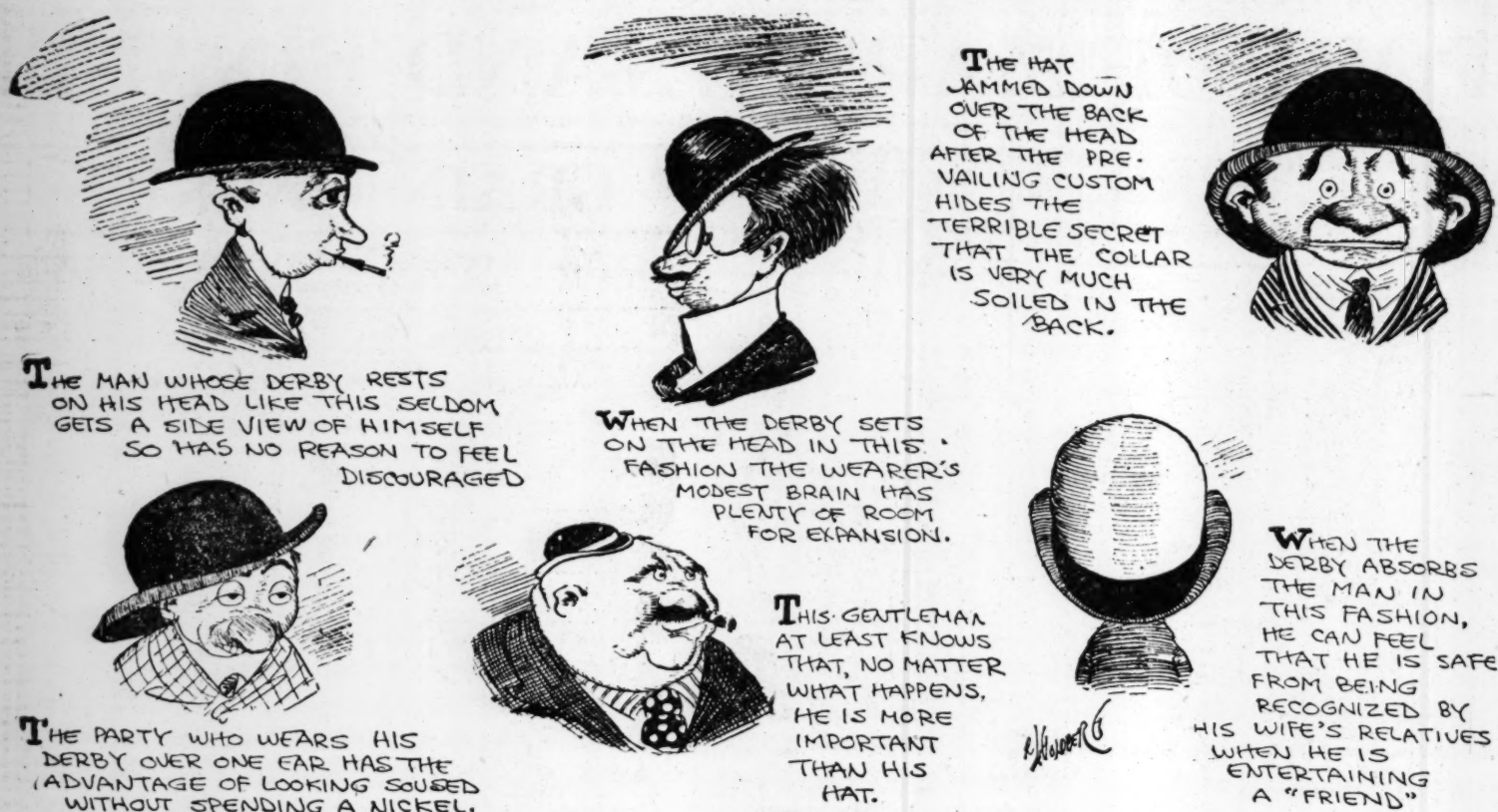
NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Stocks showed gains of 1/2 to 1 point at the opening today in the standard shares. Trading was fairly active in the favorite issues. At the moment professional market sentiment is mixed over the outlook of prices, but in banking circles the opinion is growing that liquidation has about run its course. The improvement in the Russian situation and continued favorable crop reports also are factors of importance from the buyer's standpoint.

Readjustments in commodity prices, either through official action or from other causes, have come after the greatest rise of modern times, and the belief is increasing that the crest of some leading markets has been passed. As measured by Dunn's Index Number, the position of wholesale quotations on Sept. 1 was slightly lower than a month earlier, the figures being \$215.00 against \$214.75, and since the date covered by the compilation the reaction has been extended in certain articles in which the changes have an important bearing on the general result.

The net decline of 1.7 per cent shown at the end of August contrasts with an advance of 5.6 per cent last year; but the present total is 41.4 per cent higher than it then was, and comparing now with Aug. 1, 1914, there appears a similar difference of more than 78 per cent. Going back to the bottom point on record, \$72.45 on July 1, 1897, it is seen that prices, as a whole, are up nearly 200 per cent. The following table gives Dunn's Index Number for Sept. 1, with comparisons for earlier dates:

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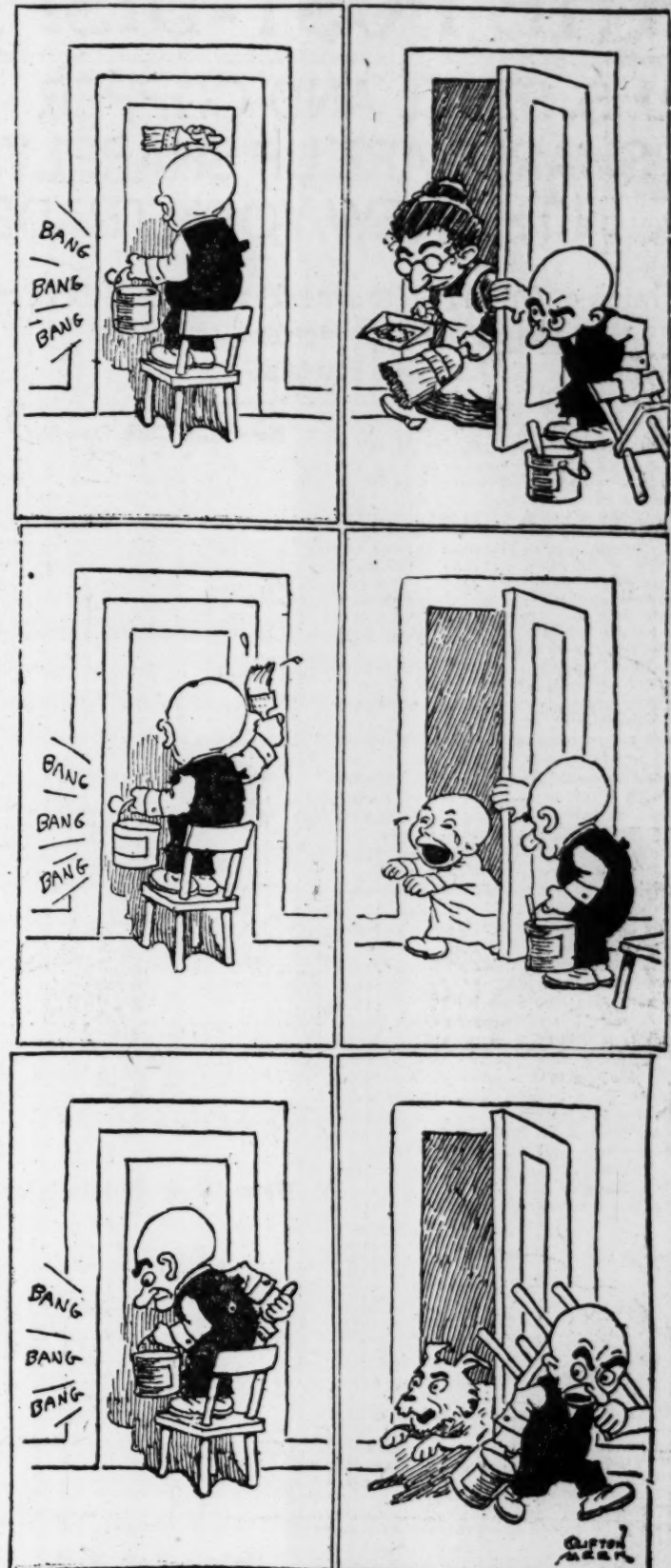
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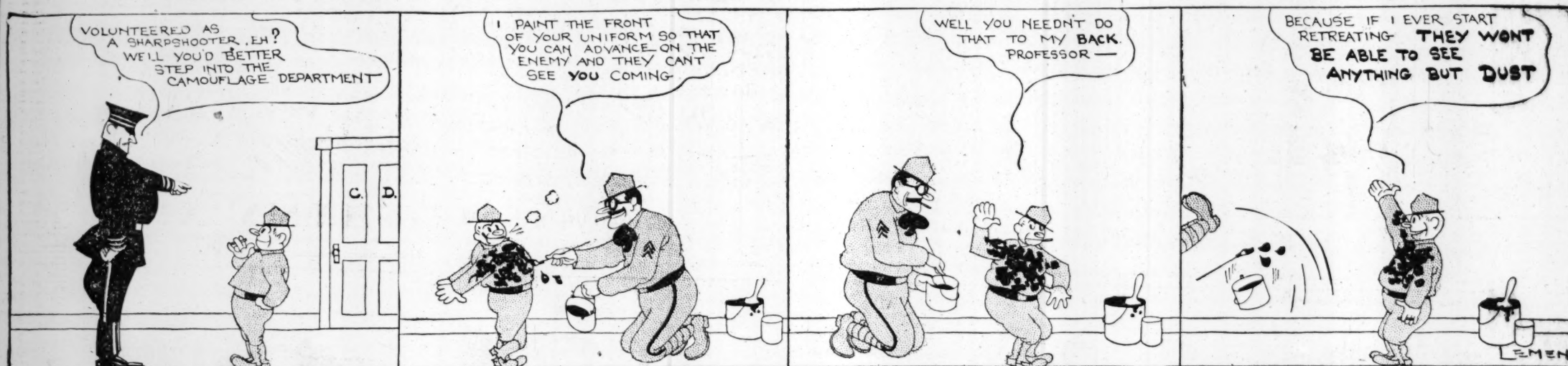


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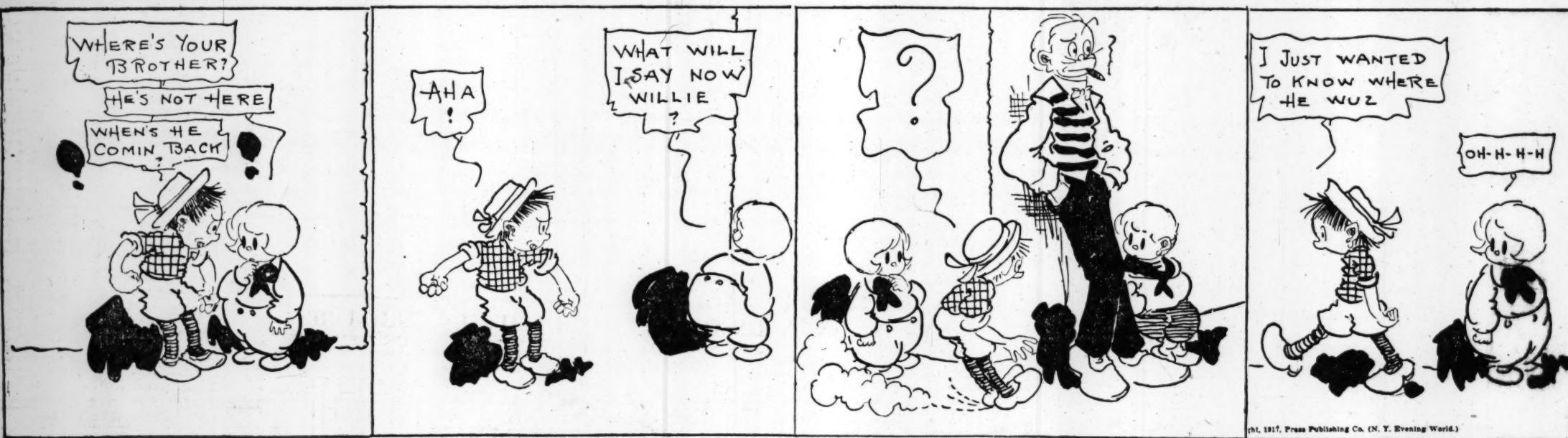
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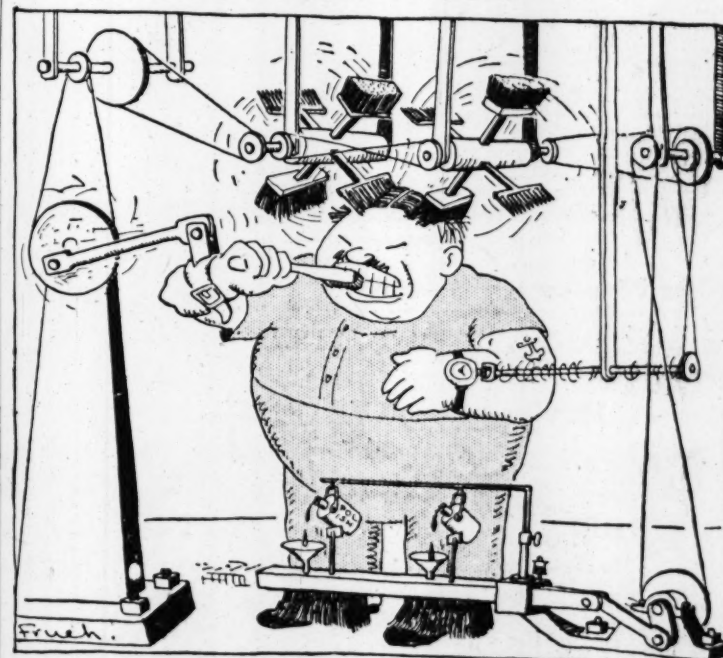


PENNY ANTE: Coaxing a Reluctant Guy

By Jean Knott



HOUSEHOLD TIPS



Biting Reproof.

DURING a dust storm at one of the army camps, a recruit sought shelter in the cook's tent. "If you put the lid on that camp kettle you would not get so much dust in your soup."

"See here, my lad, your business is to serve your country."

"Yes," replied the recruit, "but not to eat it."--Christian Register.

In Memoriam.

Availing herself of her ecclesiastical privileges, the clergyman's wife asked questions which, coming from anybody else, would have been thought impertinent.

"I presume you carry a memento of some kind in that locket you wear?" she said.

"Yes, ma'am," said the parishioner. "It is a lock of my husband's hair."

"But your husband is still alive?" the lady exclaimed.

"Yes, ma'am, but his hair is gone."--Chicago Herald.

A Safe Railroad.

WHEN I was in the railroad business," said Chauncey M. Depew once, "the president of a small line waited on me to request an exchange of courtesies. I interrogated him, and he said proudly: "On our line, sir, not only has a collision never occurred, but on our line a collision would be impossible."

"Impossible?" said I. "Oh, come. I know that the latest automatic safety devices are excellent things. But impossible is a large word."

"It's literally true with us, sir," he replied.

"How can it be?" said I.

"Why," said he, "we own only one train."--Railway Employees Magazine.

More Censorship.

I WISH to see Mr. Jones about a bill."

"He's away on vacation, sir."

"Did he leave any address?"

"Yes, sir. For bill collectors it's 'Somewhere in America.'--Boston Transcript.

"Arter Larnin'."

A KEEN-EYED mountaineer led his overgrown son into a country schoolhouse.

"This here boy's arter larnin'," he announced. "What's yer bill o' fare?"

"Our curriculum, sir," corrected the schoolmaster, "embraces geography, arithmetic, trigonometry."

"That'll do," interrupted the fa-

ther. "That'll do. Load him up well with trigonometry. He's the only poor shot in the family."--The People's Home Journal.

First Sub: You see that man over there? He did our major out of a cool ten thou'.

Second Sub: Cards?

First Sub: No--wouldn't let the major marry his daughter!--London Opinion.

He'd Been to the "Front."

THE hobo knocked at the back door and the lady of the house appeared.

"Lady," he said, "I was at the front."

"You poor man!" she exclaimed. "One of war's victims. Wait till I get you some food, and you shall tell me your story. You were in the trenches, you say?"

"Not in the trenches. I was at the front."

"Don't try to talk with your mouth full. Take your time. What deed of heroism did you do at the front?"

"Why, I knocked, but I couldn't make nobody hear, so I came around to the back."--Brooklyn Citizen.

JUNE: Did she love him so much?

Tess: Why, she married him in spite of her parents' urging.--Life.